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ALLIES CLOSING IN ON RAVENNA

Eighth Army's Important Gains In Forli Area

ALLIED MEDITERRANEAN HQ Nov. 14: Eighth Army troops have driven to within four miles of Ravenna on the Adriatic. Considerable progress has been made in the Appennine foothills south of Faenza, a big town on the Rimini-Bologna highway.

Today's Allied Communique states: "Navy: On November 12 British coastal craft sank one lighter off island of Alimnia west of Rhodes.

ITALY: Eighth Army made important gains in Forli area. Thrusting north-west from Forli, British troops made advances of up to two miles and captured the village of San Tome. South-west of Forli British troops have crossed river Montone at many places and are advancing into the foothills north of this river against strong opposition. On their left Polish troops of the Eighth Army captured Bagnolo and cleared the important feature of Monte Casole against fierce opposition. On the remainder of the front of the Allied armies in Italy deep patrols made contact with enemy at many places. In air operations 12 of our aircraft are missing.

BATTLE FOR BUDAPEST

Russians Use Tank-Smashing Artillery

MOSCOW, Nov. 14: From Reuter's special correspondent: What "The Red Star" to-day calls "heavy artillery systems"—which would include the biggest guns in the Red Army—are being used to smash up at point-blank range tanks making counter-attacks in the battle on the approaches to Budapest. "The Red Star" said these guns do not just knock out enemy tanks but "smash them to pieces".

Marshal Malinovsky's armoured spearheads are shearing through the German-Hungarian defences east of Budapest and are within artillery range of the important Miskolc—Budapest railway and highway. Cutting off this line of communication at a new point north-east of the Hungarian capital and behind the Germans' north-eastern grouping would mean virtual isolation and neutralisation of what is believed to be about half of the German and Hungarian forces detailed for the defence of Budapest. Only the most roundabout routes would be available to the Germans along which to fall back on the city.

Monday night's Soviet "communique" says: "During November 13 in Hungary our troops fought their way into the town of Jaszapati about 50 miles east of Budapest on the railway connecting Miskoloz-Budapest line with Szalnok-Budapest railway.

GERMANS QUIT BRIDGEHEAD.

The German overseas agency to-day reported that south of Budapest the Germans evacuated the bridgehead at Dunafoeldvar midway between Budapest and Baja.

RAFI AHMED KIDWAI

LUCKNOW, Nov. 14.—Enquiries made by the United Press indicate that Mr. Rafi Ahmed Kidwai, former Revenue Minister, U.P., who is now detained in the Lucknow Central Jail, has not yet been transferred to the Bareilly Jail. It is stated that he will be transferred within a day or two.—United Press.

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Move For All-Parties' Conference

Sapru's Letter From Wardha To Jagdish Prasad

From Our Correspondent
ALLAHABAD, November 14.

It seems clear now that Mahatma Gandhi would approve of an All-Parties Conference being held to settle the constitutional and communal deadlock before embarking on any fast.

Mahatma Gandhi is reported to have asked Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru to find some formula for the solution of the constitutional deadlock which might be acceptable to all parties. Sir Tej Bahadur is reported to be in correspondence with Sir Jagdish Prasad and he had sent an important letter to him from Wardha conveying Gandhiji's wishes.

The meeting of the Standing Committee of the Non-party Conference to be held on November 18, will discuss the question.

SAPRU HOPES MAHATMA WON'T FAST

ALLAHABAD, Nov. 14:—"I hope and believe that Mahatma Gandhi would not fast," said Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru, interviewed by the United Press on his return from Wardha after seeing Gandhiji recently.

Sir Tej Bahadur added: "Gandhiji's mind is distressed by the tide of evil forces in the world and fast, Gandhiji feels, cleanses the world".

He said that he had done his best to dissuade Gandhiji from taking such a step.

NEW FORMULA

Meanwhile Sir Tej Bahadur will play his part by presenting to the Standing Committee of the Non-Party Leaders' Conference a new formula which "will ease the present political tension and set a stage for political adjustment at a later stage when the war is over and the whole question can be considered 'de novo'."

JURISTS COMMITTEE TO UNDERTAKE TASK

(From Our Correspondent).

NEW DELHI, Nov. 14.—A Jurists' Committee to solve the Indian deadlock is believed to be the object of the Standing Committee of the Non-Party Leaders' Conference which meets here on Sunday. Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru will preside.

Lobby indications are that suggestions were made during the Gandhi-Sapru talks to have India's constitutional problem examined by a Committee of Jurists.

How far such a Committee will actually solve the Indian deadlock is a problematic proposition. The Committee, for instance, might evolve perfectly sound constitutional propositions which might not meet with the approval of Indian parties.

Leaguer's Demand For Jail Delivery

LAHORE, Nov. 14.

Immediate and unconditional release of Congress prisoners and detenus in the Punjab is urged by Mian Mohd Mumtaz Daultana, M. L. A., General Secretary of the Punjab Muslim League, in a statement.

He says: "One should not regret, of course, that the Muslim League strongly and publicly disapproved the Civil Disobedience movement sanctioned by Congress Leaders in August, 1942, and advised the Muslims to keep aloof from it altogether.

"We realise, however, that the dangers created by that ill-advised move are no longer there. As far as the Punjab is concerned we are sure that the policy of wholesale or almost wholesale and unconditional release of political prisoners and detenus can be implemented immediately without any risk to public security and war effort. It will probably help the war effort."—A. P.

Mahatma's Assurance To Nationalist Sikhs

WARDHAGANJ: Nov. 14: Mahatma Gandhi, replying to a letter from Sardar Durlab Singh, General Secretary of the Central Sikh Youth League, requesting a general assurance to Nationalist Sikhs that their interests are safe in his hands and that they will not be sacrificed at any cost, says: "I could never be guilty of blessing anything which is contrary to the national interest. You can certainly have the assurance that the interests of the Nationalist Sikhs as also of all Nationalists are safe in my hands and also, I presume, in the Congress hands, though, as you know, I have no authority to speak on behalf of the Congress."

Concluding his letter Mahatma Gandhi says: "There are many inventions about me going the round. I would warn friends against giving credence to any of them without reference to me."—A. P.

Mahatma Feels Promptings Of Fast

AHMEDABAD, Nov. 13

Mr. Gulzarilal Nanda in a letter from Sevagram to the Textile Labour Association reproduces the following words Mahatma Gandhi spoke to him in Gujarati in a talk on how to avert his impending fast:—

"If all people do their duty religiously who am I to fast? Why will God allow me to fast? But if people sit still in helplessness the fast cannot be averted. Fast cannot be contemplated till I have some work before me. God will ordain me to fast when there is no work before me and I cannot do anything.

I am feeling the promptings of a fast, but there is nothing to prompt me to fast immediately. Hence I hear the voice of God no one can stop me. You may pray to God that I may not have to fast.

Prayer is the only thing that matters. To do real work in the name of God is prayer. I express what I feel. Not one thing but two or three things are passing in my mind. I have told those things which oppress me most. I tell other things if there are any.

IF EVERY ONE DOES HIS DUTY

"Congressmen are least concerned in these things. People are at present engrossed in fraud, black marketing and money making at any cost. There is no end to their lying. Who can change their hearts? I do not know if my fast can do that. I but pray to God. His will be done. Nobody knows what will happen today.

If every one does his duty it is possible that the fast may not come. One man cannot bear the whole burden. But if many men do something there will be some result.

Do your duty peacefully without being grieved or uneasy. I do not want anything more. God too does not want more. I am at ease."—A. P.

Malaviya Responds

LUCKNOW, Nov. 13.

The United Press reliably understands that Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya has compiled a report of how the U. P. Government tackled the August disturbances in 1942 in the Eastern Districts of the Province.

Mr. Gopalnarain Saksena who has been authorised by Miss Khursed Ben under Gandhiji's instructions to collect the data in connection with the casualties and collective fines, imprisonments, detentions etc. in connection with the August disturbances is busy and is expected to submit the report by the end of the month. It is understood that Pandit Malaviyaji's report will be incorporated by Gopalnarain Saksena in the report which he will be submitting.

Kaleshwar Rao Sees Mahatma

WARDHA, Nov. 13: Mr. A. Kaleswar Rao, ex-Parliamentary Secretary of Rajaji's Ministry, arrived at Sevagram and is having discussions with Gandhiji. It is understood that he will be staying up to Nov. 16 and continue his talks on the political situation and the constructive programme.

Mr. Kaleshwar Rao had also talks with Dr. Syed Mahmud on the communal problem.

Sardar Durlab Singh, General Secretary, Central Sikh Youth League and a nationalist worker of Punjab has acquainted Gandhiji with the Sikh politics. He submitted to Gandhiji questions demanding clarification regarding the Sikh postion. It being Gandhiji's day of silence he is understood to have given written answers.—United Press

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NO RELEASE OF RAJEN BABU

NEW DELHI, Nov. 14.

In the Council of State to-day Mr. Conran Smith, Home Secretary, replying to Mr. P. N. Sapru said that Babu Rajendra Prasad had an attack of asthma in September last and since he has improved considerably. His general condition was recently reported to be satisfactory.

Q:—Do Government propose to release him to enable him to organise relief measures in Bihar for combating epidemics in that Province?

A:—No.

To supplementaries Home Secretary replied that he had no information if Babu Rajendra Prasad's weight had gone down during the last six months but generally the position of weight of security prisoners was satisfactory.—A.P.

President's Letters Censored!

NEW DELHI, Nov. 14.

In the Council of State Mr. P. N. Sapru's effort to move an adjournment motion regarding the interchange of letters addressed to Dr. Kailas Nath Katju and Mrs. Pandit failed, as the President held that such individual grievances could not be raised on such motions.

The President, however, made an interesting observation indicating that his own letters were censored these days.

Pandit Kunzru said that if the President's letters were censored, Government deserved to be censured therefor.

Sir Manieckji said that he did not want to claim the privilege not enjoyed by ordinary citizens.—United Press.

Left to right: G. L. Mehta, A. R. Siddique, M. A. Fazalbhoy, T. M. Bhatt, India's delegates to the International Business Conference which is now in session in Rye, New York.

Hidayatullah To Quit League

All-Party Government For Sind

KARACHI, Nov. 14.

The "United Press" understands that Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, Premier of Sind is disowning the Muslim League and forming a non-League Ministry with the co-operation of, besides Muslim members, Hindus and Europeans. He is also understood to be seeking the co-operation of Congress, M.L.A.'s through Mr. R. K. Sidhwa, who is out of jail.

It transpires that a tug of war has been going on between the Premier and Mr. G. M. Syed, President of the Sind Provincial Muslim League, on certain issues and the latter has sought the intervention of Mr. Jinnah. The tension reached a climax when the question arose as to who should appoint the successor to Khan Bahadur Khuhro on the Cabinet. While the Premier claimed the right to make the choice of the colleague, he was opposed by Mr. Syed, who wanted that the Muslim League Assembly Party should select the Minister.

It appears that Mr. Jinnah asked the Premier to see him at Delhi, which the latter could not do owing to pre-occupations in Sind.

At present the Premier is watching how the League High Command moves. In case they decide to take action against him, Sir Ghulam Hussain will quit the League before they expel him. At the same time he has been consolidating his position and it is likely that the number of ministers may be increased to nine in the House of 60, including the Speaker.

ISSUE OF DETENUS

Mir Ghulamali Khan Talpur, new minister for Law and Order, called on Mr. R. K. Sidhwa, M.L.A., former Leader of the Congress Assembly Party, today. They were closeted for an hour. It is presumed that the Premier wants to reshuffle the Ministry and form one on a broader basis with the blessings of the Congress Assembly Party.

In an interview granted to the United Press, Mir Sahib said that he would reconsider the question of release of Congress detenus and the ban on the 14th chapter of the "Satyartha Prakash."—United Press.

ALL-PARTY GOVT. FOR SIND

KARACHI, Nov. 14: The appointment of two new Ministers yesterday is considered in political circles as a step towards further expansion of the Sind Ministry which may ultimately lead to the formation of an all-party Government in Sind. According to quarters in close touch with him, Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, Premier, feels that the problems of reconstruction should transcend all political and party considerations. He is, therefore, carrying on talks with the leaders of various groups in the Sind Assembly including the Congress.

The Premier and Shaikh Abdul Majid, a member of the opposition in the Assembly were closetted together for about 40 minutes yesterday immediately after the appointment of the two new Ministers.

The Premier has also invited Syed Muhammad Ali Shah, M.L.A., to join His Ministry. Syed Muhammad Ali Shah was favoured by Mr. G. M. Syed, President, Sind Provincial Muslim League, when the question of the appointment of a successor to Khan Bahadur Khuhro was raised.

THIRD HINDU MINISTER

Sir Ghulam Hussain has wired to Rai Sahib Gokuldas, Minister for Public Works, to cut short his tour and return to Karachi immediately. The appointment of a third Hindu Minister is contemplated, thereby raising the strength of the Ministry to nine.

The Premier is said to be carrying on talks with certain Congress leaders who are outside jail to enlist their support for an all-party ministry.

Muslim League leaders are expected to arrive here during the week for the meetings of the League Parliamentary Board.

According to the original agenda, the Parliamentary Board has to nominate a League candidate for the Assembly seat rendered vacant by the death of Khan Bahadur Sadhayo, who had succeeded the late Mr. Allah Baksh from the Shikarpur constituency. Mr. Anwer Hussain Hidayatullah, son of the Sind Premier, is one of the candidates who has applied for the League ticket.—A. P.

PATTON'S MEN TAKE FORT ORNY

Nazis To Make Stand For Metz

U. S. THIRD ARMY HQ Nov. 14: Fort Orny, five miles south-east of Metz, has been captured by Gen. Patton's infantry.

Other American forces advanced 1½ miles in the woods east of Fleury and are now three and a half miles south of Metz.

Pushing towards the Metz fortress from the west, another attack has reached a point in the vicinity of Chatel Saint Germain, four miles from the city.

WITHIN 1½ MILES OF GERMAN BORDER

The Moenigsmacher bridgehead has been expanded in every direction with gains up to two and a half miles. The nearest point reached to the German border is now one and a half miles.

GROUND REGAINED

In stiff fighting on a six-mile front, beginning two miles north of Dieuze troops of the Twenty-sixth Division have regained the ground lost to German counter-attacks and advanced over a mile. Tanks have advanced one mile and reached Vittoncourt, 12 miles south-east of Metz.

NAZIS TO FIGHT FOR METZ

Captain Sertorious, the German overseas news agency military commentator, announced that Gen. Patton had reopened his assault further west against Fort Driant—The greatest structure of its kind in Western Europe.

Though some troops and vehicles have been observed pulling out east, all indications are that the garrison of Metz is going to make a fight for it.

Though the city is already two-thirds encircled and within range of Allied medium guns, the German Commander is still playing a game of wait and see refusing to commit any but local reserves against the American offensive.

SIGNS OF NAZI WITHDRAWAL

SHAEF, PARIS, Nov. 14: From Reuter's special correspondent. Signs of a German withdrawal in the Metz area are increasing today following the capture by Gen. Patton's troops of three of the southern forts and enlargement of the Moselle bridgeheads, south of the city.

On the southern flank of Gen. Patton's front troops of the American 7th Army made advances on a ten-mile front.

ALLIES CAPTURE SEVERAL TOWNS

General Eisenhower's 'communique' to-day states: "Allied forces continued to advance yesterday north and south of Metz. Our armour is astride the rail-line south-east of Metz in the vicinity of Herny and Daudrecourt. Infantry has reached Herny and are a mile northeast of Ancerville.

The following towns are in Allied hands: Corny on the Moselle river, Pommerieux, Verney and Liehom, south-east of Corny.

Our units are in Foret de Bride and De Koecking and also are north of Foret De Chateau Salins. The fort north-east of Thionville has been cleared.

Gains of approximately two miles have been made in the sector east of Luneville. Lintray was freed. Farther south the village of Montigny.

South-east of Bruyers the villages of Aumontzey and Champdray were freed.

Activity in Holland is restricted to patrolling and artillery duels in bad weather.

"Sinking" Of "Tirpitz"

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The German News Agency, in the first German comment on the sinking of the 'Tirpitz', said to-day that the 'Tirpitz' "put out of action" in shallow water just off the Norwegian coast.—Reuter.

Churchill Back From Paris

LONDON Nov. 14: The Prime Minister Mr. Churchill and his party arrived back in London from Paris this afternoon.

FAILURE OF CHIANG-COMMUNISTS TALKS

'Red' Delegates Leave Chungking For Yenan

CHUNGKING, November 14:—There is so far no indication that any settlement can be reached between the Communist and the Central Government, says Reuters' Special Correspondent.

RED DELEGATES RETURN

The 'Ta Kung Wan Pao,' an evening newspaper here, says that the Communists' delegates in Chungking—Lin Tsu-Han and Tung Pi-Wu—will probably return to Yenan shortly. He adds this does not necessarily mean that the negotiations have broken down. It is, nevertheless, undeniable that no agreement has been reached. Agreement is difficult. The Communists will not be satisfied unless they have the complete upperhand. They are agitating for a Coalition Government.

Chiang's Stand

Any Communist domination of the Government is obviously unacceptable to Chungking. There will be no civil war. Marshal Chiang Kai-Shek is determined not to use force to settle the matter, but there will also be no genuine co-operation between the Communists and Chungking.

Communist Demand

A strong movement is under way for closer relations with Russia. Resolutions have been passed for the sending of a Chinese Goodwill Mission to Moscow. Marshal Chiang Kai-Shek has repeatedly assured the country that the Government has always pursued a good-neighbourly policy towards Russia. The 'Ta Kung Pao', even suggests that Sun Fo, well-known Liberal leader and son of Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, should make another visit to Moscow.—Reuter.

BOMBAY GOVERNOR VISITS BURMA FRONT

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Sir John Colville, Governor of Bombay, has left on a private visit to the Burma Front. He is expected back early next week.

A message announcing His Excellency's arrival in Calcutta today adds that he is staying at Government House.—A P.

BAN ON RALLY OF STUDENTS

Jawahar Birthday Echo

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The Students' Rally which was announced to be held to-day evening at Marwadi Vidyalaya Hall in connection with Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru's birthday was abandoned on account of police ban.

KHER'S TRIBUTE TO JAWAHAR

"The best birthday present which the country could give to Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru is its firm resolve to secure his release, which means the release of the Congress Working

COTTON MARKET OBSERVES JAWAHARLAL BIRTHDAY

BOMBAY, November 14.
The local Cotton Market remained entirely closed today being "Jawaharlal Birthday."

Committee, and to further the cause which he has at heart. His release will be in the best interest of Great Britain and the United Nations, because he is the greatest anti-fascist force in India", said Mr. B. G. Kher, former Premier of Bombay addressing the students of the School of Economics, Bombay University, this evening on the occasion of the fifty-sixth birthday of Pt. Jawaharlal Nehru.

SIX DESTITUTES DIE

CALCUTTA, Nov. 14.

There were six deaths and fourteen admissions of sick destitutes in Calcutta hospitals yesterday.

TRAVELLING ON TOP OF TRAINS?

NEW DELHI, Nov 14.

In the Assembly to-day the War Transport Member stated in reply to Sir A. H. Ghasnavi's question, that the Railway Administration had issued special instructions to its staff and the assistance of the railway police had been requested to prevent passengers getting on top of trains.

Separate inter-class accommodation was not provided for females on the trains between Kasganj and Kathgodam and Bareilly and Lucknow said the War Transport Member in reply to Mr. Badri Dutt Pande.

Mr. Sriprakasa: Would it not be desirable for the Railway Department to refer to human females as women, in order to differentiate them from the females of other species? (laughter)—A. P.

STOP PRESS

BR. OPEN NEW ASSAULT.

LONDON, Nov. 14: The British have opened to-day at 4 p.m. a new assault on the German pocket on the east flank of the Dutch salient at Nederweert. A tremendous barrage from 400 guns backed the action.

AMERICANS TAKE YSER.

SHAEF PARIS, (Tuesday): American forces to-day stormed Yser fort, the southernmost stronghold south of Metz. They captured that fortified group and its satellite fortifications.

CHINESE QUIT LIUCHOW.

CHUNGKING, Nov 14: Chinese troops have now evacuated Liuchow, the strategic air base city in Kwangsi Province. 134 miles south-west of Kweilin. Street fighting in the town. U. S. air personnel and equipment have already been evacuated by air.

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EAST AFRICANS TAKE MAWLAIK

Chinese Troops Within Two Miles Of Bhamo

KANDY, Nov. 14.—It is officially announced that Mawlaik, important Jap base on the west bank of the Chindwin, has been occupied by East African forces.

In Schwegu, Chinese troops now occupy the territory eight miles south of the Irrawady on a twenty-mile front.

Following is to-day's S.E.A.C. 'communique':

NORTHERN BURMA: Chinese troops moving on Bhamo from the north-east advanced several miles yesterday and are now only two miles from the town. Other troops east of Bhamo made slight progress. One unit moving south-west from the Momauk area has reached a point two miles from the road leading south from Bhamo.

In the railway corridor British troops made slight progress against determined enemy resistance.

CENTRAL BURMA: Thrusts towards Kalemyo from the north and west progressed against enemy resistance. In the Chindwin sector East African forces continued to make satisfactory progress on the west bank of the river.

ARAKAN: Forward troops report accurate bombing attacks from supporting aircraft on enemy positions around Paletwa.

CHINESE ENCIRCLE BHAMO

CHUNGKING, Nov. 14.—A Chinese 'communique' says that the Chinese have completed the encirclement of Bhamo. Vanguards are two miles from the city.

Street Fighting In Liuchow

CHUNGKING, Nov. 14.

Street fighting has been going on since Saturday in Liuchow, a strategic Kwangsi Province City 134 miles south-west of Kweilin, said last night's Chinese 'communique.' The Japanese column north of the city is continuing to drive west, along the main railway connecting Kwangsi with Kwichow.

The Headquarters of the United States Forces in the China theatre announced yesterday that United States units have evacuated the Liuchow air base by air.

On Philippine Front

General MacArthur's H. Q., Philippines, Nov. 14:

General MacArthur's 'communique' says: Advance elements of an American cavalry division are consolidating positions seized on Mount Catabaran on Leyte Island.

The 'communique' says: This division has also taken another key ridge eight miles south-west of Carigara. The Japanese now have five divisions on Leyte.

Reuter adds that Carigara is in north of Leyte.

JAP H.Q. HIT

CHUNGKING, Nov. 13.

American bombers have hit a Japanese Headquarters seven miles south-west of Paoching. Another force has wrecked three railway bridges on the coastal railway in French-Indo China and killed 100 Japanese troops, states the Chinese communique.—Reuter.

EIRE AND WAR CRIMINALS

Dominions' Under-Secretary's Statement In Commons

LONDON, Nov. 14.—Eire's attitude towards war criminals was outlined by Mr. Paul Emrys Evans, Under-Secretary for Dominions, replying to a question in the Commons to-day. He said: "The Eire Government have informed us that their attitude is as follows:

They state that in their view the right to grant asylum is not in question and they can give no assurance which would preclude them from exercising the right, should justice and charity or the honour or interest of the nation so require. They also refer to the absence of a comprehensive international code applicable to the matter and the lack of a generally recognised court or procedure for judicial determination of individual cases. They go on to say, on the other hand, that since the present war began it has been the uniform practice of the Eire Government to deny admission to all aliens whose presence would be at variance with the policy of neutrality of detrimental to the interests of the Irish people or inconsistent with the desire of the Irish people to avoid injury to the interests of friendly States and when such aliens land, they are deported to their countries of origin as soon as possible. They state that it is not intended to alter this practice."

The United Kingdom Government, for their part wish to make clear that it would certainly in the words used by the Eire Government be detrimental to the interests of the Irish people, were war criminals to be harboured in Ireland."—Reuter.

Moyne's Murderer Had Served In British Army

JERUSALEM, Nov. 14.—The two young Jews charged with the murder of Lord Moyne, British Resident Minister in the Middle East, gave fictitious names, it was revealed here during investigations. Their real names are Aliahu Hakim aged 25 of Haifa and Ephraim Ben Zuro aged 22 of Tel Aviv. Hakim served in a Palestine unit of the British Army but was discharged last February. Ephraim Ben Zuro was a university student until 1942.

The two men arrived in Egypt separately and did not know each other before meeting in Cairo, which they did according to sealed orders, says the local press. According to press reports they were dressed as soldiers and carried forged military papers which enabled them to cross the frontier. It is believed they obtained firearms and explosives secretly in Cairo with the aid of various confederates.—Reuter.

Mr. Jamnadas Morarji Dead

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

Seth Jamnadas Morarji, J. P., a prominent share and stock broker of Bombay, died this morning at the age of 61. The deceased was a well-known figure in the financial circles of Bombay. The credit of introducing cheque system in 1916, and then the establishment of a clearing house for settlement purposes in the Bombay share market goes to him. He was the trustee of the Bombay Stock Exchange and a Director of the Governing Board.

As a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased, the Bombay share market will remain officially closed to-day (Wednesday).

SHOLAPUR BOMB CASE JUDGMENT

SHOLAPUR, Nov. 14.

The Additional Sessions Judge, Sholapur, delivered judgment to-day in the Bomb Conspiracy Case, holding the accused Messrs. Vibhute, Shankar Dhanashetti, and Sidram Bidri guilty and awarded two years' R. I. each, under Section 12 (B) and five years' R. I. under Section 4 (B) of the I. P. C. and 6 years' imprisonment under the Explosive Substance Act and two years' R. I. each under D. I. R. Sec. 39 (6).

Sidram Bidri has been awarded additional imprisonment of two years under the Arms Act. All the sentences are to be undergone concurrently.—United Press.

KERALA NEEDS PROMPT RELIEF

Secretary of the Bombay Keraleeya Samaj writes:

Numerous appeals were received by our Samaj from many parts of Kerala for relief to the distressed in that unfortunate part of our country where disease and famine conditions have taken heavy toll of the lives of the people.

Under the Chairmanship of Sjt. Nagindas T. Master, Mayor of Bombay, "The Kerala Distress Relief Committee, Bombay" was formed with many eminent citizens of this City on the Committee.

Soon after this I proceeded to Kerala to gain at least some first-hand knowledge of the conditions prevailing there and I must say that the public at large have not come to know the full acts of the distress of the people there.

The majority of the people in that province especially the poorer section, viz., the peasants, the land labourers, etc., who form the majority of the population are undergoing untold hardships particularly due to lack of food. The health of the population has been so impaired that it is a common sight to see human skeletons stalking the area, children in particular terribly emaciated due to lack of food, with sunken eyes awaiting their doom.

Poonani, Kurumbranad, Chirakkal, Kottayam, Ernad and the coastal regions of Cochin and Travancore are the most affected areas.

Even in parts where rationing has been introduced which quantity is less than 1/3 of the usual average quantity required by the people. I understand that the quality of rice supplied is unfit for human consumption.

The problem of clothing is also very acute. The need for clothing is as urgent and imperative as that for medicines and food.

I therefore earnestly appeal to the generous public and to Kerala residents all over the country to come to the rescue of this unfortunate province by contributing generously for relieving the distress with money, medicine and clothes.

All contributions may please be addressed to the Kerala Distress Relief Committee, Bombay, 2nd Floor, Jehangir Wadia Building, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Fort, Bombay, or to the Bombay Keraleeya Samaj, 81, Hindu Colony, Dadar.

INDIANS IN SOUTH AFRICA

Shamdasani's Application Dismissed

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Lokur & Mr. Justice Weston)

P. D. Shamdasani .... Applicant

v.

Sir H. P. Mody and Others. Director, Secretary Accountants and Auditors respectively of the Central Bank of India Lt. ..... Opponents.

Their lordships dismissed this revision application against the order of Mr. Coelho, Presidency Magistrate dated February 2, 1944 discharging the opponents under Section 253 (2) of the Criminal Procedure Code on the ground that the charges levelled against them were groundless and that the applicant had not, before launching prosecution, satisfied himself that they were true.

The applicant had charged the opponents mainly under Section 282 of the Companies Act, alleging that the balance sheet of the Bank as on December 31, 1929, was false in material particulatrs, 'inter alia', on the ground that the item of lands and buildings had been lumped together in order to conceal the true state of affairs.

Their lordships held that the applicant had not led any evidence in support of the charge and had failed to make out even a "prima facie" case, and that the trying Magistrate had been right in arriving at the conclusion he did.

The applicant appeared in person. Mr. C. K. Daphtary, Sir Jamshedji Kanga and Mr. R. J. Kolah appeared for opponents 1 to 4; Mr. S. G. Velinker appeared for Opponents 5 and 6—all instructed by Messrs. Payne & Co.

Better Pay For Vets

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

The pay of Veterinary Assistant Surgeons has been increased by the Bombay Government.

Those who have passed with the new curriculum are to be given eight advance increments in the revised scale, while future recruits to this cadre will be started on Rs. 100 a month. Probationers undertraining for one year will be given Rs. 100 a month during the probationery period.

Recruits who have obtained the degree of Bachelor of Science (Veterinary) after the affiliation of the Bombay Veterinary College to Bombay University will be given the starting pay and pay while on probation sanctioned for diploma-holders, who have passed with the new curriculum.

Strike In "Sanj Vartman"

BOMBAY, Tuesday.

On the refusal of the Management to comply with their demand for two months' bonus, the workers of the "Sanj Vartman" and allied papers have struck work to-day.

Flying Bombs Over Southern England

LONDON, Nov. 14.—The Germans last night directed flying bombs against Southern England, including the London area. Some damage has been reported.

ECHO OF R.A.F. OFFICERS' MURDER

PESHAWAR, Nov. 14: Two persons have been arrested in connection with the murder here some time ago, of three R.A.F. officers.—A. P.

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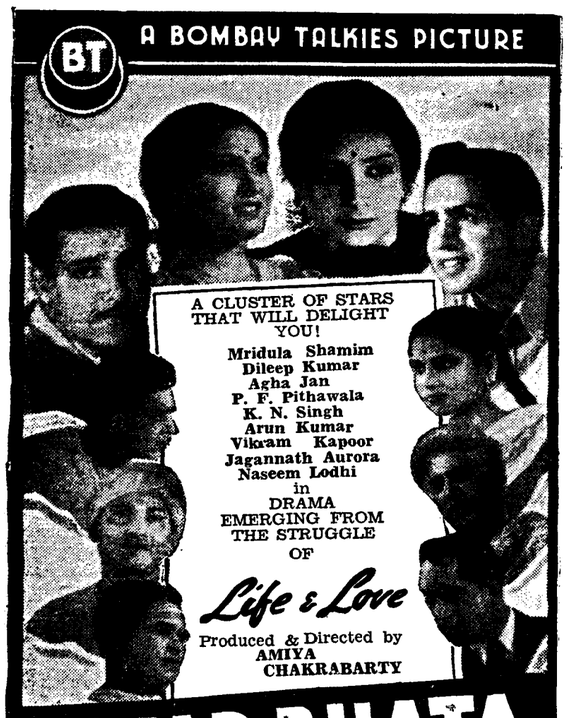

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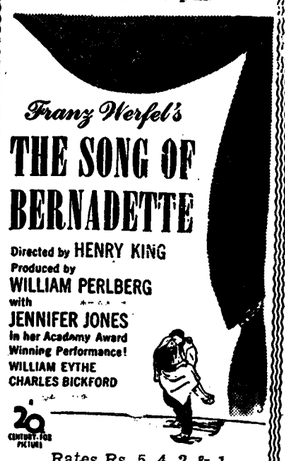

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To-day's Engagements

STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION: The next weekly meeting of the Standing Committee will be held in the Corporation Hall, today at 2-30 p.m. (Bombay Time). There will also be a special meeting of the Committee to consider the Budget estimates for 1945-46, after the weekly meeting.

MAGICIANS' GUEST EVENING: Under the presidentship of Dr. F. D. Nasikvala, the Society of Indian Magicians celebrated their guest evening on Monday at "Sir Jeevanji Modi Hall. The Star performers were Mr. R H Bharucha, Mr. Y K Padye (the ventriloquist), Mr. H. Sayani, Prof. Panday and Dr. F D Nasikvala. Mr. Prince Mendes put in his appearance and left the audience gaping with his first-rate cardsleight. Two and a half hours were passed in rollicking mysteries.

INSTITUTION OF ENGINEERS: Discussion on the Institution Paper: "Economic Results of the Lloyds Barrage and Canals" by D. B. Advani today.

UNIVERSITY LECTURE: Prof H D Sankalia will speak on "Nature and Sources of Persons and places in Inscriptions of Gujrat" at the Lecture Theatre, University School of Economics and Sociology today at 6 p m Dewan Bahadur K. M. Jhaveri to preside.

DASTUR BODE'S LECTURE: On "Explanation of the Law of Karma as taught in the Zoroastrian Religion" at Mazdaznan Temple Hall, Opp. Churchgate Station today.

CORPORATION THANKED: A public meeting of the Depressed Classes was held under the Presidentship of Principal M. V. Donde, Municipal Corporator, on Saturday last and thanked the Corporation for having provided the Depressed Class with motor vans to carry their dead to the distant cemetery.

TRAVANCORE STATE CONGRESS PRESIDENT FOR BOMBAY.

Mr. Pattom Thanu Pillai, President of the Travancore State Congress, is coming to Bombay, on Friday. A reception has been arranged by the Second Bombay All-Malayalee Conference at Dadar Station. Mr. Pattom will preside over the Conference which will be held at Sunderbai Hall (Churchgate), on Sunday, November 19.

CITY SAMAJISTS' PROTEST: A congregation of Arya Samajists and Hindus held at the Arya Samaj Mandir, Fort, strongly protested against the ban imposed on the fourteenth chapter of the "Satyartha Prakash" by the Sind Government on Sunday last.

OVERSEAS TRADE DISCUSSION.

Mr. Amin-ud-Din, Chief Controller of Exports ,Government of India, met the Managing Committee of the Africa and Overseas Merchants' Chamber on Tuesday afternoon and discussed overseas trade problems affecting East and South Africa as well as the Middle East.

Muslim Majlis

The Hon. Secretary, Bombay Branch, All-India Muslim Majlis, writes:—In order to explain the policy and programme of the All-India Muslim Majlis, a meeting has been convened today at 9-30 p.m. at the Muslim Majlis Office, Imperial Mansion, Rippon Road, (Below "Inquilab" Office). Mr. M. Y. Nurie, Mr. S. A. Brelvi and others will speak.

At 9 p.m. the meeting of the Working Committee will be held.

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L. S. G. D. EXAM. RESULTS.

The following students have passed the L.S.G.D. Examination held in the month of September 1944:

(IN ORDER OF MERITS):

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TODAY ON RADIO

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 15.

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K.A.C.

JOURNALISTS' ASSOCIATION OF INDIA: The annual general meeting of the members of the Journalists' Association of India will be held on Tuesday, December 19, 1944, at 6 p.m. at the Association Hall, Prospect Chamber Annexe, Hornby Road, to consider the annual report, to elect office-bearers and members of the Executive Committee and to discuss any other matter brought before the meeting with the permission of the chair.

GATHERING AT SOCIAL WORKERS' SOCIETIES CENTRE.

The annual gathering of Social Workers' Society's welfare centre was held at Matarpakhdi chawls. Mrs. Shantaben Bhatt presided, and distributed prizes to successful Harijan boys and girls who took part in this sports organised by the society. Mrs. Bhatt in her speech appreciated the work done among the poor people. She was very much impressed by the various items showing the training and in appreciation of the same, she donated a generous Amount to the Society

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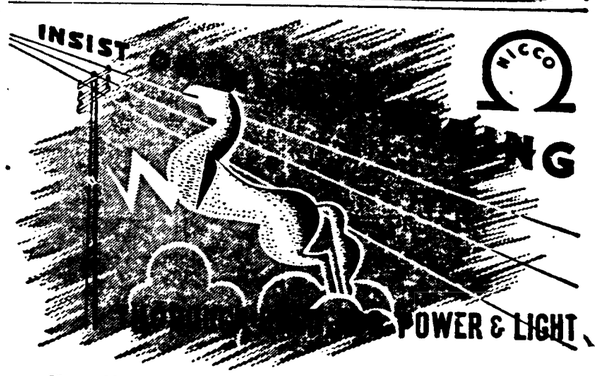

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The Government of Bombay has amended its order in the Finance Department, (Supply), No. 57(G)-IV, dated the 5th June 1944, banning the use, except under a licence, of milk, tinned milk, cream, curds, skimmed milk, dried milk or milk powder in the preparation of any article other than tea, coffee, curds, buttermilk, ghee and butter intended for service or distribution in a public place or for sale, in Bombay City and the Bombay Suburban District. Under the amended order milk, tinned milk, skimmed milk, dried milk, milk powder or any milk product including cream, curds and mawa cannot be used, except under a licence in the preparation of any article other than tea, coffee, curds, buttermilk, ghee and butter intended for service or distribution in a public place or for sale. The use of cream in the preparation of tea and coffee intended for such service or distribution has been banned.

The amending order has been published in the Bombay Government Gazette Extraordinary of November 13, 1944.

Sale of mawa imported from places outside Bombay City and the Bombay Suburban District and of sweetmeats prepared from such imported mawa will be permitted in accordance with the conditions of a licence granted by the Director of Civil Supplies, Bombay. Persons engaged in the sale of imported mawa and/or sale of sweetmeats prepared from such mawa should apply for licences to the Director of Civil Supplies, Bombay on or before November 30, 1944.

A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

If honesty did not exist, we ought to invent it as the best means of getting rich.

—Mirabeau.

The Bombay Chronicle

CO-OPERATORS IN CONFERENCE

The Provincial Co-operative Conference which met last weekend may well be described as marking the end of the period of depression which overtook the co-operative movement about the time the last session was held in 1932. In India and elsewhere in the world, the value of co-operation as a form of economic organization suited for the needs of the countryside and of the urban artisan and the consumer has now begun to be increasingly appreciated; and from that point of view the outlook before the movement, as Sir Janardhan Madan remarked in his welcome speech, was never brighter. The conference put in a plea for the co-operative movement being recognised as an integral part of the plan of economic development for the country as a whole and welcomed the recommendations of a committee appointed by the Provincial Co-operative Institute to formulate proposals in that behalf. What these proposals are, was, however, not disclosed in the subsequent proceedings of the conference and the Co-operative Institute would do well to publish the committee's report duly and to invite public criticism thereon so that a well-considered comprehensive programme may be placed before the public and before Government.

From the inaugural address of the Governor of Bombay, it appears that one of the most striking developments in the movement in recent years has been in the field of agricultural marketing. That progress should have been made in this direction inspite of the operation of war-time controls, is, presumably, a testimony to the keenness of rural co-operators to build up their own agencies for orderly marketing. Although no resolution was adopted on the subject it may be hoped that those in charge of the movement will note what Sir John Colville observed that the success of the movement would be gauged by the manner in which co-operators dealt with these and similar aspects of agricultural organization. Consumers' co-operation comes into the picture prominently for the first time in the history of the movement in the Province: but from the facts and figures set forth in the presidential address of Sir T. Vijayaraghavacharlar the Province is still far behind Madras in this respect. The establishment of a central wholesale society which the conference urged may be expected to impart the drive and the direction which this branch of the movement at present lacks.

The change in the outlook before the co-operative movement in the Province may well be judged from the fact that questions relating to co-operative credit which previously used to engage the attention of co-operative workers somewhat unduly, were more or less in the background at this conference. A comprehensive resolution was, however, adopted on the reorganization of the machinery for the supervision of agricultural credit society in the Province. The Conference welcomed the announcement made by Sir John Colville that in future the entire cost of supervision would be borne by Government and that the supervisors engaged for the work will have a status similar to that enjoyed by Government servants. The exigencies of finance may have made such a development inevitable, and Government may take credit for having gone to the rescue of agricultural credit society in the contingency that has arisen. It will be unwise for co-operators, however, to forget that supervision connotes both guidance and control, and if those in charge of it become links in a vast bureaucratic machinery, initiative and direction will pass out of their own hands and the movement may stand in danger of losing much of its educational and social value. This aspect of the contemplated development will, we trust, not be overlooked by the Committee which the Conference has appointed to examine the position of the Co-operative Institute under the proposed arrangements and to strengthen its resources for active educational and orgazational work in rural areas.

Rural Medical Relief

Dr. Jivraj Mehta's presidential address at the first Conference of the Association of Physicians in India, held at Madras during the week-end, was a comprehensive survey of the various medical problems of this country. He naturally laid most emphasis on the need for spreading medical relief in rural areas. "If village medical relief", he said, "is to progress in the country—and it must undoubtedly do so at a far greater speed than has been the case hitherto, as almost nine persons out of ten in India live in villages—we shall have to work out a very cheap method of (medical) treatment." In this connection he rightly deplored the needlessly high cost of treatment prescribed by many doctors, particularly "the craze for injections and costly patent and proprietory medicines, whether manufactured locally or imported from abroad." We wholeheartedly endorse his suggestion that "it should be the prime duty of physicians in teaching institutions to make it a point to instruct students more and more in this direction" of cheapening treatment consistent with efficiency. This is quite possible to a large extent with the use of allopathic drugs, to a larger extent with the use of tried popular indigenous drugs used by Ayurvedic and Unani physicians, "Bazaar" and to a larger extent still with Homoeopathic medicines. There is much in those non-allopathic systems, apart from their cheapness, which allopathic doctors can learn with advantage to themselves and their patients. Dr. Mehta did well to commend post-graduate study of Ayurveda. The other two systems also deserve to be studied. There is valuable scope for research in the three systems, and these systems themselves can be developed best in combination with the allopathic system. Dr. Mehta commended also the promotion of pharmaceutical and allied industries in India and also the compilation of our own Pharmacopoeia. These measures will go a long way in cheapening and improving medical relief in the country.

Dr. Mehta made one more suggestion calculated to promote medical relief in rural areas. It was about the use of the mother-tongue as the medium of instruction in medical teaching. This is quite possible and is bound to popularise medical knowledge among the public. The Osmania University imparts its instruction in its M.B.B.S. courses in Urdu and it should be possible to do likewise in other Indian languages. If there should be any difficulty in deciding upon agreed equivalents in Indian languages for teaching terms, English terms may continue to be used for the present, as is done in training nurses. Finally, the problem of medical relief in rural areas cannot be fully solved unless we have more medical schools and colleges. Dr. Mehta seems to favour the abolition of the Licentiate courses, provided in the schools. If all existing schools can be converted into colleges, the abolition of the schools may not be a calamity, though we prefer the continuance of the Licentiate courses, which are and ought to be appreciably simpler than the graduate courses. But it will certainly be a retrograde move to close any schools instead of converting them into colleges.

Frankly Speaking

Assault On Metz

As Reuter's military correspondent says, General Eisenhower has before him two objects which he must attain to be able to launch an all-out offensive against Western Germany: one, to secure the use of Antwerp and, second, the capture of Metz, an obstacle as difficult but as important as was, for instance, Cassino in Italy. As to Antwerp, we have the authority of Mr. James Byrues, the American war production boss, that ships will begin to unload in Antwerp in a few days' time. As to Metz, General Patton's offensive is reported to be going well—better than the campaign against Cassino. The town is being steadily encircled and already a number of outlying forts which guard the approaches to it have fallen. Metz will not be easily reduced; it is stated to be one of the strongest fortress towns in Europe. But the success so far achieved does encourage the hope that it should not take General Patton long to bring off a great and far-reaching victory. If that happens, General Eisenhower ought to be able to launch his all-out drive in a fortnight's time

The "Tirpitz"

It is doubtful if any battleship ever had a more ill-fated and inglorious life and death as the German "Tirpitz". She did not have a single engagement of any kind, beyond, of course, firing A. A. guns at attacking aircraft, to her credit. She began and finished her "career" sneaking from one fjord refuge to another. Her sistership "Bismarck" also proved a dead loss to the Germans. But she did exact a heavy price from the British for her destruction and, let there be no mistake, she went down in a blaze of glory. Yet the sinking of the "Tirpitz" is a big blow to the Germans and, for the British, it is equivalent to a great naval victory and more. The "Tirpitz" had practically immobilised a powerful battle squadron in order always to be ready for any challenge from her. Now she is gone and with her has gone all danger from Germany on the sea. As commentators have been quick to point out, the destruction of the 'Tirpitz' releases the great bulk of British naval strength in the North Atlantic for immediate service in the Indian Ocean.

Generalissimo's Call

Speaking on the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the Kuomintang, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek said: "At this moment when we have not yet recovered our lost territories, when the enemy is still running rampant, our nation should continue to fight Japan." Perhaps the critics who went to the wild length of asserting that the great Chinese leader did not mean seriously to fight Japan will make amends at least by shutting up. The Generalissimo is not only determined to fight on despite the fact that Japan is concentrating her powerful attention on weak and helpless China but is also healthily optimistic enough to believe that "victory is in sight." He is not wrong either. Victory over Japan is now a certainty. But while he is also right in insisting that "our immediate concern is the defeat of the enemy", there are certain internal problems that do deserve the urgent attention of the Generalissimo.

Sind Cabinet

The Sind Premier, Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah, is credited with the desire to establish an All-Party Government because he feels that the problem of reconstruction should transcend all political and party considerations. Both the desire and the feeling are laudable provided the reconstruction aimed at is on sound lines. The inclusion of a European as a Minister is welcome. India objects to domination by non-Indians who have no stake in the country, but she will always welcome the co-operation of Europeans who seek no special privilege and fully identify themselves with the interests of her people. But non-Indians should not be imported into popular Ministries at the dictation of Governors or to create discord among Indians. If the United Press report is correct, Sir Ghulam Hussain Hidayatullah's motive in having an all-party ministry is not an altogether disinterested one. Evidently he resents the restraints of a Party Government and in his anxiety to retain his premiership is prepared to change his political affiliation once again.

Wanted An Explanation

It is amazing that the President of the Central Assembly ruled out of order Nawab Siddiq Ali Khan's adjournment motion to discuss the "forced unemployment and the consequent starvation of thousands of weavers in Burhanpur and other places in Central Provinces, owing to the lack of yarn supply and the failure of the Textile Commissioner to give relief to the sufferers." It cannot be pleaded as an excuse for ruling out the motion that the subject was not urgent or important. Nor could the excuse be that the subject was a provincial concern. Apart from the fact that the C.P. Government is not now autonomous, the control of yarn is by the Central authority. Whatever the President's motive in ruling out the motion, his ruling undoubtedly hinders the exposure of many things that needed to be exposed. The weavers' plight does not concern them alone. It affects war effort at a time when production of cloth needs to be at the maximum. The Government owes an explanation to the public regarding the inadequate supply of yarn. Government should also investigate if corruption is at the root of the weavers not being supplied yarn.

Intolerance Of Intolerance

The "Cape Times" takes a sensible attitude in condemning the anti-Indian legislation in Natal as unjustifiable "intolerance". Nay, it goes further and suggested that the people should "cultivate the only intolerance which is justified, which is intolerance of intolerance." That is precisely what the Indian Government and the Indian people have done. The "Cape Times" thinks that the Natal Government's racial intolerance is due mainly to "enemy action." It is certainly no compliment to the Government to have been so influenced by enemy action. However, those who fear that the race war in Natal will be exploited by the very enemy which created it can yet retrieve the situation for the time being by getting the anti-Indian Ordinance at least suspended for the duration or by persuading the Governor-General to withhold his assent to the Ordinance.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Paradoxical though it may seem, a good old age is often a very bad one.

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When a man's wife hears him call her maid an angel the fly season is at hand.

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A woman doesn't really begin to have faith in a man until other people lose it.

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A manicurist who could also polish men's brains would fill a long-felt want.

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Many a man becomes a jailbird through his strenuous efforts to feather his nest.

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The weight of a woman's first baking is usually equal to twice the weight of the ingredients.

High Court Acquits Khwaja Nazir Ahmed

LAHORE, Nov. 14: The curtain was wrung down in the well-known case of Khwaja Nazir Ahmed when the Division Bench of the Lahore High Court consisting of the Chief Justice Sir Trevor Harris and Mr. Justice Abdur Rahim delivered the judgment to-day acquitting Khwaja Nazir Ahmed, former Official Receiver, his Munshi, Mr. Mukhtar Ahmed, and Mr. Abdul Halim, Superintendent, Mianwali Jail, in the appeal filed by the appellants.

It may be recalled that Khwaja Nazir Ahmed was sentenced to imprisonment for a term aggregating to twelve years and fined Rs. 60,000, the Munshi to one year and a fine of Rs. 50,000 and Abdul Halim two years by a Special Magistrate, Mr. A. A. Williams. Mr. Bhulabhai Desai appeared for the appellants.—United Press.

Indictment Of Govt. Food Policy

KUNZRU PLEADS FOR MORE SUPPLIES TO MALABAR AND COCHIN

NEW DELHI, Nov. 14.

Initiating the food debate in the Council of State today Mr. S. R. Sen, Director General Food, declared that the last twelve months' working of the basic plan gave the Government the feeling that at both the Centre and in the provinces they had now a much clearer idea of the minimum needs of the deficit areas, and they could hope that in no area in future should they be taken completely by surprise, unless there were any unforeseen developments or any unpredictable natural calamities.

The essence of the problem was not the moving of supplies from a surplus province to deficit areas, but of acquiring from the cultivator the mamixum amount to be obtained from every part of India. The only completely satisfactory solution of the problem of procurement from the standpoint of principle, according to the food grains policy committee, therefore, was a central foodgrains monopoly, but as the problems of organisation and administration involved were so great, they could not recommend its adoption immediately.

PLANNED FOOD ECONOMY

Now that food rationing had been extended to 42 million persons and was still being extended and now that procurement was approaching a monopoly basis in most of the deficit areas, Government thought that time had come for an assessment of requirements on a proper nutritional basis, an examination of existing supplies and prevailing food habits, particularly in the deficit regions on the basis of those requirements and with special reference to the vulnerable classes, and finally the formulation of a policy that would effectively secure for the people of the country, at least in the post-war period, a decent standard of food consumption. For that purpose, Government proposed to appoint immediately a planning adviser who would be a wholetime officer working on those problems, collecting and analysing data and formulating preliminary proposals for the evolution of a planned food economy in India.

The Maharajadhiraja of Darbhanga referred to the situation prevailing in North Bihar and particularly in Darbhanga and Purnea districts and said that even according to Government estimates, rice crop would be below the average in these districts.

BENGAL'S TALE OF WOE

The Maharajkumar of Nashipur said that the food situation in Bengal was far from satisfactory. He thought Government propaganda only attempted to minimise the evil. The Provincce was getting deeper and deeper into the depths of misery in the form of economic ruin, deprivation in health, mass destitution and widespread depopulation. He could not understand why the Government had chosen to sell rice at Rs. 16 per maund, while private sellers in the mofussil were offering it for sale at Rs. 10.

The Maharajkumar said that huge stocks of rice and other food commodities were being allowed to rot without being distributed to the needy and the hungry at opportune time. He admitted some amount of relief had been brought about, but the ruling price of rice was still beyond the reach of a very large percentage of people.

The quantity of wheat allowed to each individual, he said, was too meagre and "ata" was in most cases unfit for human consumption.

Pandit H. N. Kunzru deplored lack of information on food and urged that Government should furnish members of the Legislature with a publication giving adequate information on the production, procurement and distribution of food.

In regard to Malabar and Cochin, Pandit Kunzru said that no concession was being shown to them in respect of rice. Rice rations allowed were inadequate, and the common man had to buy food at market rates, even though he could not do so at prevailing rates. This brought him to the question of subsidising the poor man's food. He knew that the financial burden would be serious, but the present state of things was so unsatisfactory that immediate steps should be taken to relieve the sufferings of the poor people.

Pandit Kunzru complained of the poor quality of rations supplied. Foodgrains sold contained an appreciable quantity of dust, stones and grit. He referred to an instance in Ajmer where wheat sold on examination by the U.P. Government Chemical Analyser was found to contain 10.7 per cent of dirt, 12.3 per cent of barley and 2.5 per cent of other stuffs and thus the quantity of wheat sold was only 74 per cent.

Pandit Kunzru asked why no steps had been taken to approach the U.N.R.R.A. authorities for importing foodgrains to India.

Referring to the situation in Bengal, Pandit Kunzru asked why was Government lavishing all help on that province? It indeed required all assistance last year, but Government should now help the people in the South and particularly those living in the West Coast.

Sir Buta Singh complained that large surpluses of wheat, rice and gram were not immediately purchased and removed from the Punjab had shown that in practice the Government of India was unable to fulfil their obligations, and they failed to take over surpluses and the most noticeable example was of gram.

Bengal Govt. Does Some Black-Marketing?

There was a strong rumour, Sir Buta Singh said, and he wanted the Government of India to deny it, that the Bengal Government was selling in the Punjab railway receipts of gram which Bengal Government had stored in the Puniab for being taken to that Province at Rs. 7/12 per maund when the market price of gram in the Punjab was about Rs 6/4 per maund only.

The House adjourned to meet again tomorrow when the food debate will be continued.—A.P.

WHY NOT NATIONALISE INSURANCE?

Objective Of Amending Bill

NEW DELHI, Nov. 14.

The Finance Member, Sir Jeremy Raisman announced in the Assembly today that on all the three points of the public debt bill on which criticism in the House had centred, he was prepared to maintain the existing position. That meant, he said, that on the first point, namely receiving notices of trust, no change would be made. The present position was that as provided in the bill, no notice of any trust in respect of any Government security shall be receivable by the Central Government, nor shall the Central Government be bound by any such notice though expressly given, nor shall the Central Government be regarded as a trustee in respect of any Government security. That, as far as the Finance Member knew, had always the position. The only abatement that was possible was provided in the next sub-section under which the bank would accept instructions with regard to payment of interest, etc. so long as it did not involve legal consequences of having accepted a notice of trust.

As regards the other two points namely, first recognition by the bank of no title to the Government security other than that of the executor or administrator of a deceased sole holder and the holder of a succession certificate, and second, the twelve-year limitation of Central Government's liability in respect of Government securities, the Finance Member signified his readiness to re-introduce the position as it actually existed at present, but the amendments proposed by members with this intention would have to be carefully examined. That would require some time, and he would ask permission to let further consideration of the bill stand over, so as to enable him to consider the drafts put forward by members and produce an amendment which would be acceptable to the House.

The Assembly agreed to the proposal.

Nationalisation of insurance was urged by Prof. Ranga and supported by Mr. A. Chettiar, Mr. Hussainbhai Lalji Mr. Manu Subedar in the course of the debate on Sir Azizul Haque's motion to refer his Insurance Act Amendment Bill to a Select Committee. The House eventually rejected without a division Mr. Krishnamachari's motion to circulate the bill and passed Sir Azizul Haque's Motion.

Sir Vithal Chandavarkar pointed out that insurance interests were quite satisfied with the bill, and insurance experts had told him that there should be no delay in passing the bill.

Mr. Manu Subedar did not know why the general public should not be admitted to the benefits of the postal insurance scheme, which he said, was being conducted so efficiently that the expense ratio was only seven per cent as against twenty-three per cent, which was the lowest that a private insurance company had been able to achieve. The difference of sixteen per cent he had no doubt came in the shape of greater premium or less benefit to the policy-holder. Mr Subedar suggested that in order to find the money for the vast projects of post-war development, life insurance offered the most promising source. As it was, only a small proportion of the population had been brought into insurance schemes; the poorer classes either did not understand insurance or had been cheated by canvassers or had been scared by the scandalously low surrender value of insurance policies.

Sir Cowasji Jehangir said if Government desired to nationalise life insurance, let them do so; but to say that private companies were more costly than Government enterprise was not quite accurate. Government insurance was saved from the obligation to canvass, to make investment or to find capital. State insurance was thus totally different from private insurance schemes. Sir Cowasji expressed himself against the leaving of a large margin of funds in the hands of life insurance companies. At present, fifty-five per cent of their funds was required to be invested in Government paper; that left forty-five per cent in the hands of directors to play with: it was a little too much to be left in the hands of some directors.

Mr. Chapman Mortimer joined Mr. Manu Subedar in drawing attention to the evil of insurance companies being formed in close connection with banks, and banks being established in close connection with insurance companies.

REMUNERATION ON COMMISSION BASIS

Mr. L. S. Vaidyanathan said that in the short period of a year during which he had been superintendent of insurance the number of applications received by him for starting new insurance companies had been enormous; and a very undesirable feature was the provision for remuneration for the people at the help of affairs on a commission basis, which might be as low as five per cent and might look trivial, but might actually amount to lakhs when companies expanded and grew rich. The Bill therefore provided for the abolition of remuneration on a commission basis.

NATIONALISING INSURANCE

Sir Azizul Haque replying said his objective was quite the same as Prof. Ranga's; but he would hesitate to take steps to nationalise insurance, till a National Government was established. It was no use saying that he and other members of the present Government of India did not represent the people, and at the same time asking him to take steps to nationalise insurance.

The Commerce Member said his attention had been drawn to certain objectionable and deplorable features of insurance companies in this country. India of the future, he declared was not to be handed over to a few monopolists If there was anything in the insurance line that could be done to prevent monopolists controlling the economic future of India, he would not be behind hand in bringing legislation for that purpose before the House.

Mr. Krishnamachari's motion for circulation was negatived and Sir Azizul Haque's motion was passed.

The House took up further debate on the Health and Lands Secretary Mr. Tyson's motion to refer to a Select Committee his bill for the creation of a fund to be expended by a committee constituted for the improvement and development of the cultivation, production and marketing of rice and rice products.

Prof. Ranga said there was a body of public opinion in the country which was opposed to the House proceeding with the Bill.

Mrs. Radhabai Subbaroyan opposed the Bill and asked the House to reject it; but if the House felt this suggestion to be too drastic, then it should circulate the Bill. The Bill in her view did not suggest the correct method of encouraging research in rice

Mr. Essak Sait said that the country should have an opportunity of expressing its views on this important matter since everybody was interested in producing more rice, better rice and to produce rice more easily. He was therefore in favour of circulating the bill.

He had not concluded, when the Assembly adjourned till tomorrow.—A.P.

Adjournment Motion Disallowed

NEW DELHI, Nov 14.

In the Central Assembly, the President disallowed Mr. Govind Deshmukh's adjournment motion on the ground that the Governor-General's consent was not obtained.

The motion sought to discuss the "action of the Government of India in forcing the Kolhapur Durbar to accept foodgrains which are unfit for human consumption."—United Press.

NO TINKERING WITH RUPEE RATIO

Sir C. B. Mehta Pleads For Indo-American Trade Treaty

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.

Any attempt now to treat India as if she were a rich country would be entirely unjust and unfair, asserted Sir Chunilal Mehta, Chairman of the Indian Delegation to the International Business Conference in the 800-word statement he submitted to-night to the Committee, discussing currency relations among the Nations.

He added: "I may affirm that India is opposed to any attempt to raise the exchange value of the Rupee, be it in terms of the pound sterling or gold".

Pointing out that he accumulation of sterling balances by India had been "through the sweat, blood, toil and tears of the Indian people", Sir Chunilal Mehta declared "purchases in India made by the Government of India for war purposes and on behalf of the British Government and the United Nations for the war effort had been made at very low prices, compared to the prices at which the supplies were available to the civilian population of India."

He added: "Had the Government of India paid for the materials and goods purchased for the war effort on the basis of the cost of living in India, the accumulation of sterling by India would have been about 3,000 million pounds instead of 1,000 million pounds as at present—and that too at the cost of lowering the already very low standard of living."

The conclusion of a treaty of commerce and navigation between India and the United States was urged by Sir Chunilal Mehta at the International Business Conference here today.

Sir Chunilal Mehta told the conference's sectional committee on commercial policy of nations that this alone could place Indians living in the United States on a basis of equality. "Every country should have equal rights for trading with any other country and such equal rights between the nations would encourage mutual trade and commerce."

NATURALISATION

Sir Chunilal Mehta asserted that although the question of privilege of naturalisation of Indians in the United States may not directly be connected with the subject of commercial policy of the nations, yet the grant of such a privilege to Indians would create a most favourable impression in India regarding the desire of the United States to treat Indians on equal footing along with other United Nations.

Sir Chunilal Mehta added. "Only recently the United States passed an act qualifying the Chinese to be naturalised American citizens and I know there has been a bill before the American Congress extending similar privileges to the Indians. This measure is, however, being unduly postponed and there is a growing suspicion in India that it may not be placed on the statute book."

Dealing with the question of multilateral system in world trade Sir Chunilal Mehta told the Committee that such a system if at all accepted by India would only be accepted with certain definite reservations and safeguards.

He added: "These reservations are necessary for the protection of India's existing industries and development of new ones. Until now India has imposed protective tariffs only in case of a few selected industries and even in regard to these, only after elaborate inquiry by the Tariff Board.

DOUBLE PRICE POLICY

"As it is appreciated in the United States that higher the standard of living larger the trade, so is the case in India. Since the expansion of trade among nations is the fundamental objective of the conference, it is essential that the standard of living in backward countries like India, China and others be raised —"In India the standard can only be raised by industrialisation, which can only be achieved by protection to the existing industries and encouraging new prospective industries."

Sir Chunilal Mehta said it was reported in India that the United States Government were going to adopt a double price policy on raw cotton. "If such a policy was adopted by the United States, it would greatly harm the interests of a poorer country like India and perhaps even Brazil. If powerful, rich and influential country like the United States was going to compete with India and Brazil it would certainly not help international goodwill or collaboration." The conference should declare itself against adoption of such a policy."

CARTELS OPPOSED

A flat declaration against British and Americans cartels was made today by the Indian delegation during deliberations on the subject at the international business conference here.

TETE-A-TETE

WITHOUT COMMENT—

"The most useful move in this new crisis in Natal might be the calm and fair restatement of the Indian case based upon the facts and arguments plentifully provided by its history, but above all there should be avoided in India extravagant abuse or precipitate action against another Empire country, which is calculated to disturb that solidarity and harmony which in the interests of the whole world and above all of India, we all know it our duty to preserve and strengthen."

—Sermon by the "Special Correspondent" in London of the "Times of India."

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Mr. Fenner Brockway describes Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru as a giant compared with the little statesmen who keep him in jail.

Quite right. But doesn't that also justify the action of those poor chaps?

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A South African General serving in the Mediterranean theatre has told his countrymen—sorry, we mean his fellow-whites that people who are intolerant towards the Jews, Indians, the coloured and natives are ignoring the lessons of this war."

Then the gallant soldier doesn't know what the war is being fought for.

His criticism is incorrect All that his people are doing is to try to hold what is—er—theirs.

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In return for what she has done and suffered France has been promoted by Mr. Winston Churchill to the status of a Great Power and has also been conceded a French occupation zone in Germany

It is, however, quite irrelevant and nonsensical to suggest that Mr Winston Churchill would now concede to India the right of occupying at least this country.

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Asked in the Central Assembly about the detention of Congress members of the N.W.F.P. Assembly, Sir Francis Mudie answered flatly that the Government of India declined to accept responsibility for it.

It is expected that Sardar Md. Aurangzeb Khan will, however, continue to say nothing.

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Asked whether the U.K.C.C were making very large profits by sale to India and by purchase in India and sale in other markets, Sir Jeremy Raisman replied: "No, the Government of India understand that this is not true of the Corporation's activities as a whole."

The operative expressions, as it were, are "understand" and "as a whole." Now you can easily translate the whole answer in one word.

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Apropos of the appointment of Mr. Roger Thomas, a Karachi message says "this is the first time that the Europeans have been given representation in the Cabinet."

Well we did need a blue print of the shape of Pakistan to come.

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The German Overseas Agency quotes "competent German quarters" as saying that Herr Hitler enjoys complete health.

In a padded room?

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"What's happened, George?" the wife inquired as her husband got out of the car to investigate.

"Puncture," he replied briefly.

"You should have been more careful," she said. "The guide book warned us there was a fork in the road at this point."

Mahatma's Contemplated Fast

Mrs. Lilavati Munshi says: "It will not be a cruelty to himself, but a cruelty to the whole nation." I would go further, and say that the Mahatma's contemplated action would not only be a crime against himself, but against India, for, if by his 25 years' service to the country, he had acquired certain rights and privileges against it, the country also has acquired the same against him. It is, therefore, not open to him to destroy himself in this way. I am sure that your powerful voice would support me if I were to suggest an alternative, that if he will abandon his idea, the whole country should fast with him (of course, with prayers) for one day, or 40 hours.

N. C. VAKIL.

Indian Capitalists

Mr. Walchand Hirachand in his address to the Indian delegates to the International Conference of businessmen gave vent to oft repeated limitations of the Indian capitalists under which they have to labour for their enterprise And as a cure to all the pervading evils he emphasised the formation of "National Government" in India. The capitalist in India has a dual role in order to keep his own wagons moving. A trip to Sevagram to greet Bapu in order to face masses and a journey to the Imperial city to attend the Post-war Reconstruction Committee's meeting serve his dual purpose like a dole of charity as a bait for possible recruits. Behind his feelings of patriotism which pricks the conscience of every man is hidden his ulterior motive of "self interest" to thrive at the cost of others. Finance is the most potent force in the world and he who possesses it knows well how to avail of its boons under the varying circumstances. A contribution of a lakh to the "Kasturba Memorial" and of an equal amount to the War Fund would earn them the cheap publicity in the "Nationalist Press" sympathy and love of masses and at the same time the favour of the Government

Apart from the communal policy of preferential treatment of recruitment and promotion in service in the concerns owned by capitalists who boast of being Indians first and everything afterwards, one often comes across their advertisements "Wanted—Apply with least remuneration expected" in the press

These are the perpetrators and inflictors of social injustice of "maximum of labour with minimum of pay" and they exploit the helplessness of the educated youths of the country. As regards the conditions of service, stability sickness insurance etc., they are sometimes worst than bureaucrats since everything depends upon their whims and the rules and regulations are there to serve their ends.

A "National Government" of Mr. Walchand Hirachand's conception, would be a farce and would bring in an era of fallacious liberty, where Walchands would be guiding the economic policy of the state of "private enterprise" which leads to unequal distribution of national wealth—a few thriving at the cost of million

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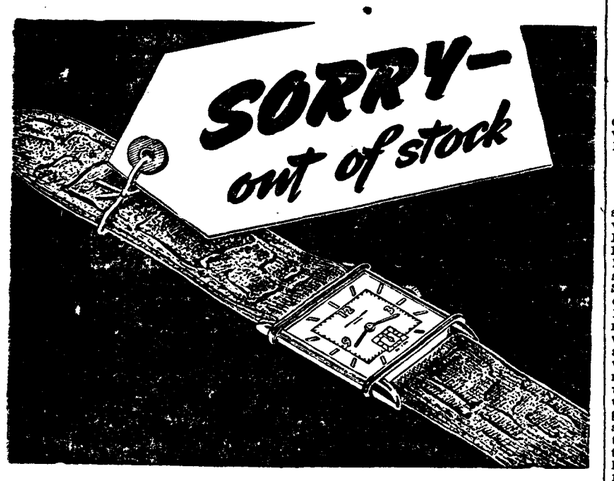
Bombay.



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CITY MARKETS

No Business In Share Bazar

BOMBAY, Nov. 14.

The Bombay Stock Exchange was officially open today but no business was done by members, it being "Jawahar Birthday."

Gold & Silver

BOMBAY, Nov. 14.

The local bullion market was very steady and day's sales by the Bank were reported at higher levels. The Reserve Bank sold 300 bars of Silver at Rs. 114/12 and 75,000 tolas Gold at Rs. 63/9. The demand was good and sales were easily absorbed. Ready Silver was quoted at Rs. 115/12 and current settlement was placed at Rs. 115 while trading for the next settlement was reported at Rs. 113/8. Forward Gold was quoted at Rs. 62/14 and ready quotation was Rs. 63/6. It will be observed that short sales are main reason behind the present disparity between spot and forward quotations. Professional operators thus get easy opportunity to earn on a large scale without running much risk. Under the circumstances, it is not advisable to have any short interest in the market as such sales are bound to result in heavy losses.

Later on there was heavy short covering and quotations moved up. Closing quotations were as under:—

Ready Gold Rs. 64/12. Forward Rs. 63/12. Sovereigns Rs. 45. Ready Silver Rs. 116/4. Forward Rs. 114/8.

COTTON PARITY

LONDON, Nov. 13.

Indian Cotton March Contract is 607 cent points below New York March at Exchange rate 331.

HIGH AND LOW COTTON PRICES

LONDON, Nov. 13.

	High	Low	Close
I.C.C. March	411/8	408/4	410/12
I.C.C. May	416	413	414/12
Karachi March	41/10/6	41/3/3	41/10/6

Cotton Subsidy Programme

NEW YORK MARKET STEADY

NEW YORK, Nov. 13.

Prices advanced on fixations and the announcement over the weekend of the launching of the Government's cotton, wheat and floor export subsidy programme with the naming of prices and differentials scheduled for Wednesday. Prices ruled steady on trade absorption of scattering unimportant hedges. The session closed steady. The New York Cotton Exchange Service estimates total domestic supply at 22,970,000 bales. December delivery opened a 21.78 and advanced to 21.82. The market closed at a rise of 1 to 3 points. Spot cotton prices gained 2 points at 22.27c per lb.

NEW YORK COTTON

December 21.79+02 January 21.77+02 March 21.91-01 May 21.91—01, July 21.76+03 October 21.02+03 December highest 21.82+05 (11-49 a.m.) lowest 21.78+01 (10 a.m.) Middling Spot 22.27+02

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

December 21.80—01 January unquoted March 21.94—Middling Spot 21.35

NOON CALL

December 21.80 March 21.90 May 21.93

PRODUCE MARKET

BOMBAY, Nov. 14.

The Produce market was quietly steady groundnuts spot Bold Rs. 13/9 December, February Rs. 13, Khandesh quality Rs. 14/4. December, February Rs. 13/10. Goa Dec., March Rs. 14/8. Castorseed Ready Rs. 14/14. Goa Rs. 14/12, Navlakhi Rs. 14/7. Linseed C.P. and U.P. Rs. 14/11. Moglai Rs. 14/7, Satra Rs. 14/3.

LONDON BULLION

LONDON, Nov. 13.

Spot 23-1/2 Forward 23-1/2 Gold bars fine per oz. £8/8/0

LONDON EXCHANGES

T. T. London on:—

New York sellers 4.02-1/2 buyers 4.03-1/2 Madrid official 44.00, Montreal sellers 4.43, buyers 4.47, Zurich sellers 17.3, buyers 17.4, Stockholm sellers 16.85, buyers 16.95

LONDON WHEAT

LONDON, Nov. 13.

Wheat Rozario Santa Fe (new crop) 41 Nov/Dec quoted

Wheat Australian (bulk) 45 Nov/Dec quoted

Wheat Australian (bags) 43 Nov/Dec quoted

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, Nov. 13.

	£
Rupee Paper 3-1/2	72-3/8
Consols 2-1/2 p c	81-1/4
Conversion Loan 3-1/2 p c 1961	105-1/8
War Loan 3-1/2 p c	104
Funding Loan 4 p c 1960/90	113-1/2
Victory Bonds 4 p c	113-5/8
Chartered Bank of I. A. & China	10-7/8
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank (London Reg.)	84-1/2
National Bank of India	42-3/4

WALL STREET MARKET

NEW YORK, Nov. 10.

U. S. Steel 57-5/8 Bethlehem Steel 62-1/2 N. Y. Central R R Com. 19-1/4 N Y Central 5 p c 2013 77-1/4 N Y Chic. St. Louis Pfd 22 Chesspeake and Ohio R R 47-3/8 Chase National Bank 40-1/4 Nat. City Bank of N Y 38-5/8 General Motors 63-1/4 General Electric 35-5/8 Sun Life Assurance 270 Baldwin Locomotives, Phelps Dodge, Texas Corp. 42 1/8 Sinclair Oil 13-3/8 Socony Vacuum 13-1/2 Anaconda Copper 27-1/8 Kennecott Copper 35-1/2 Int. Nickel 29-7/8 Amer. Tel & Tel. 163-7/8 Western Union 43-5/8 Consolidated Edison 25 Idaho, Australia 5 p c 1955 100 Montgomery Ward 54

MADRAS SHARE MARKET.

MADRAS, Nov. 14.

Following are to-day's quotations:

SUGARS AND BREWERIES: Deccan 37, Do. 89, India Sugar 29/8, South India 16, Travancore 16/12.

PLANTINGS: Balmadies 1/14/6, Bluemountains 1/10, Cochin Malabar 17/4, Chebra Peaks 10/8, Fringfords 16/14, High Produce 36, Kalpetias 43, Kalasa 14/11, Midland 13/2, Nelliampathis 1/7, Ouchtherlony 11/15, Peermade 49, Rajagiri 14/13, Thirumbadi 4/13, Vatkumdam 20/2, Vellamalai 29/8, Vellitam 31/8, Waterfalls 1/12, Pullangodes 3/1/6.

TEXTILES: Bangalore Wol 455, B. and C. Ordy 310, Cambodia 31/7 Coimbatore Pioneer 356, Coimbatore Cm. 244, Janardhana 145, Kaleeswarar 670, Kothari Tex 30/4, Lakshmi 164/8, Mettur 278, Madura 67.

MISCELLANEOUS: And Cement 124, Bruntons 12/5, CD., Mettur Chem. 17/8, Do. Defd. 7/9.—A. P.

Sales Of Treasury Bills

Tenders for Rs. Six Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills were opened on Tuesday the 14th November. Total amount offered was Rs. 17,73,50,000—(Rupees Seventeen Crores seventythree lakhs and fifty thousand only). Tenders at Rs. 99-14-3 were accepted in full and those at Rs. 99-14-0 allotted approximately 32 per cent. Total amount accepted was Rs. Six Crores, the average rate of accepted tenders being Re. 0-7-11 per cent per annum.

Tenders for Rs. Six Crores of three months' Government of India Treasury Bills will be received on Tuesday the 21st November in Calcutta up to 11 a.m. (Standard Time) and up to the close of business on Monday the 20th November at other centres. Successful tenderers should make payment on Friday the 24th November 1944. Other conditions are as usual.

During the week ended 10th November, Government of India Treasury Bills for Rs. 1,27,00,000 (Rs. One Crore and twenty seven lakhs only) were sold in favour of the Issue Department of the Reserve Bank of India.

MADRAS TREASURY BILLS.

Tenders for Rs. One Crore of three months' Government of Madras Treasury Bills will be received at the offices of the Reserve Bank of India, Bombay, Calcutta and Madras up to 11 a.m. on Wednesday, the 22nd November. Successful tenderers will be required to make payment and take up their bills on Friday, the 24th November.

NEW SERIES OF ONE RUPEE NOTES.

A new series of Government of India Re. 1 notes will shortly be issued. As notified in September, 1943, there will be no change in the design of the note, but the serial prefix and number will be printed in green instead of black, while at the end of the number a capital A will be printed in the dark grey head colour of the note.

MONEY MARKET

BOMBAY, Nov. 14.

LONDON—Banks buying 90 Days/st. 1/6 1/4 1 & 2 months. 1/6 9/32 3 to 6 months.

B. C. Rates—T T 1/5 15/16 D D 1/5 15/16

Banks sell T T 1/5 31/32 1/5 31/32

Banks buy T T 1/6 1/32 D D 1/6 1/8

LDN/NEW YORK—Banks sell Rs. 332 3/4 Rs. 332 3/4

Banks buy Rs. 329 1/2 Rs. 326 1/2

LDN/MONTREAL—Banks sell Rs. 302 1/2 Rs. 302 1/2

Banks buy Rs. 297 3/4 Rs. 294 3/4

Tone of Sterling Exchange:—Quiet.

Reserve Bank Rate 3 p c. Bank of England Rate 2 p c.

Money:—Call, one and two months 1/4 p c. 3 to 5 months 1/2 p c. 6 to 11 months 3/4 p c 12 months 1 1/4 p c.

Tone:—Very Easy.

Churchill Agrees To Principle Of French Occupation Zone In Germany

LONDON, Nov. 13

Paris radio tonight broadcast a report stating that the French will share with the Allies in the occupation and administration of Germany.

It said: "It is announced today in well-informed Paris circles that in course of the Franco-British Conference Mr. Churchill declared himself in agreement with the principle of a French occupation zone in Germany. The status of the French occupation would be equivalent to that of the other great powers. It is hoped that a free representative will participate in the inter-Allied organisation in charge of the administration of Germany."

"Cape Times" In Sharp Rebuke To Natal, Praises Indian Troops Under Union Command

CAPETOWN, Nov. 13: The "Cape Times" in a leader headed "intolerance" says there is no need for Major-General Theron's evidence to confirm that our troops up north are welded into an organic unit unmarred by any suggestion of intolerance.

"An ironic commentary on this is that while some good people in Natal are expressing themselves in disgraceful terms about Indians, General Poole has under his command an Indian Regiment of volunteer soldiers of the finest calibre at the side of whom our own volunteers are proud to fight."

This is a war against intolerance—a fight for freedom which means, if anything, that intolerance which comprehensively damns a creed sect, race, people or nation of another colour has no place in the world.

The "Times" says that some of the rising intolerance probably is traceable to war nerves but the real and most important cause of intolerance undoubtedly is enemy action.

"The danger to this country is not from a purblind minority who are intolerant from a genuine if mistaken conviction, the danger is the use which this intolerance will be put by the enemies of this country, enemies who will still be at their work long after Hitler disappears.

There is only one answer—to cultivate the only intolerance which is justified which is intolerance of intolerance."—Reuter.

Sweden On Brink Of War?

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 13.

Swedish shipping companies operating between Sweden and Finland have asked the navy to convoy vessels across the Baltic and the Gulf of Bothnia. Shipping quarters in Stockholm consider it unlikely that the Swedish Navy will stand by while peaceful unarmed Swedish vessels are sunk or allow them to be driven from the seas by German threats.

The question, many Swedes are now asking is will the navy begin convoying and will the German aggression against Swedish shipping cause incidents which will bring Sweden into war much the same way as America was brought in.—Reuter.

The Pentangular

Strong European Combination To Meet Parsis To-day

(BY OUR CRICKET CRITIC)

The Annual Cricket Festival of Bombay—The Pentangular—will commence at the Brabourne Stadium today at 11-30 a.m. The Europeans are down to meet the Parsis in the opening match. Despite the boycott propaganda in the press, it is stated the booking has gone on well on all sides. For one thing the propaganda was started rather late in the day when many people had already purchased their season tickets. They were of course taken in by the charitable purpose of the tournament flourished before them. There are others—even among Congress-minded folks—who seem to disagree with Mahatma Gandhi's dictum in regard to the communal basis of the competition. Truly speaking, they have been so much used to it during the last 40 years or so that they are now drawn to it as a drunkard is drawn to a 'pub.'

PALIA TO LEAD MEDIOCRE SIDE

The Parsis have selected P. E. Palia again as their skipper, in stead of M. J. Mobed who led them last year. With the exception of S. R. Mehta and K. H. Dastur, they are going to field the same side as opposed the Muslims last year. D. B. Satha and P. M. Cambatta have been selected in their places. By no stretch of imagination can it be called a powerful side. Their bowling department is decidedly weak. If last year's exhibition is any indication, they will have a severe trouncing at the hands of the Europeans. In batting Rusi Mody who knocked up a patient 160 at Karachi recently, has given promise of a tall score. It remains to be seen how their batsmen fare against a strong European attack, backed by tight fielding. I wonder why J. A. Bhaya, the brilliant fielder and batsman from Indore has not been chosen.

FORMIDABLE BATTING STRENGTH BEHIND HARDSTAFF

At the time of writing, the Europeans have not yet selected their team. They have only announced the name of Joe Hardstaff, the English Test Cricketer, as their captain. However, among the certainties may be counted Denis Compton, another Test player, H. J. Butler, P. Dobree-Carey, P. F. Judge, R. T. Simpson, Major N. S. Hotchkins, Major P. A. Cranmer and P. Corral. All of them are County players of England. It does not seem that A. D. Wellard and Bruce Mitchell would be able to make the journey to Bombay. The brunt of the attack will therefore be borne by Butler, Judge, Dobree-Carey and Compton, the last named being responsible for slow spinners. Their batting however will be formidable with Compton and Hardstaff, two of England's leading bats, in the vanguard. The Parsi bowlers will have a hard job in getting them out for a reasonable total, unless their fielders show exceptional keenness in their respective billets.

B. A. Exam. Results

The results of the B.A. (Pass) examinations of Bombay University held last October were declared on Monday. The following are the numbers of the successful candidates:

SECOND CLASS HONOURS No. 408.

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Suspected To Have Entered France To Plot With Political Elements

PARIS, Nov. 13.

The Government have issued a "communique" saying, "According to reports which appear to be well-founded Comte de Paris is believed to have entered France recently and to have seen wounded near Perpignan."

The "communique" adds that the Minister of Justice has opened an enquiry and "the Minister of Interior has ordered the arrest of Comte de Paris and instructed that he should be placed in a state prison".

Well-informed quarters believe Comte de Paris may have entered France to plot with political elements who have been under police surveillance for a long time.

CALCUTTA CORPORATION ASKED TO ADDRESS LOCAL GOVT.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 14.

The Federal Railway Board have, it is learnt, communicated to the Government of Bengal their views with regard to the proposed purchase of the Calcutta Tramways by the Calcutta Corporation and have asked the Corporation to address the local Government in this matter.

The Corporation recently approached the Federal Railway Board and the Government of Bengal for their formal sanction to the proposed purchase as required by law.—A. P.

FEDERAL COURT TURNS DOWN BENGAL APPEAL.

NEW DELHI, Nov. 13: The Federal Court unanimously dismissed with costs an appeal preferred by Mukunda Murari Chakravarti and others asking for a declaration that the Bengal Non-Agricultural Tenacy (temporary provisions) Act was "ultra vires" and inoperative. Their Lordships refused leave to appeal to the Privy Council against their order.—A. P.

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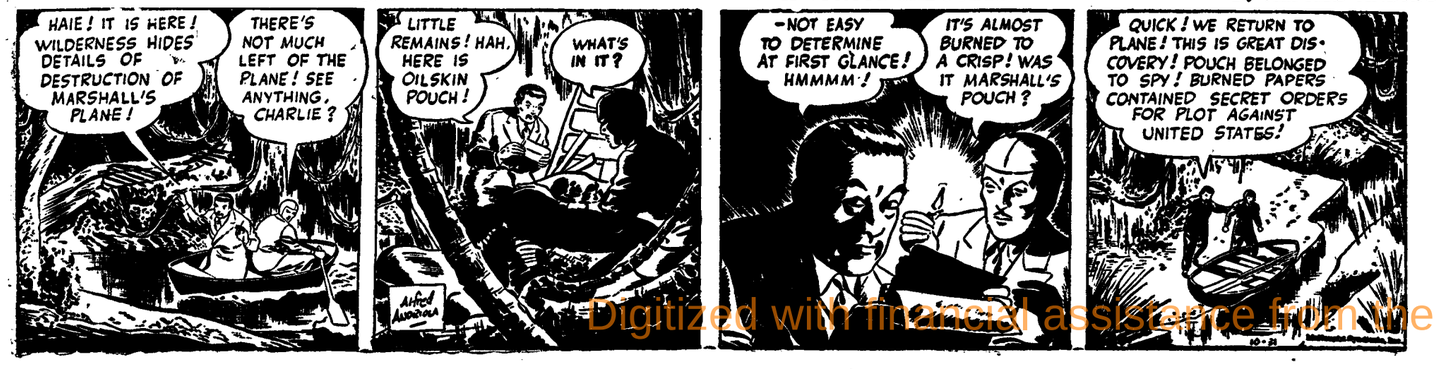
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Wanted—One post of an experienced chemist, in a Varnish and Paint Factory, has to be filled on handsome salary. Only the experts need apply with testimonials Box No. 6545, "Bombay Chronicle".

Wanted an experienced Shorthand-Typist. Apply in person to the Secretary, Indian Merchants' Chamber Opp. Churchgate Station. 6532

Wanted for Andheri Chemical Factory experienced educated Storekeeper-Accountant. Typing essential. Preference given Gujaratis residents Suburbs. Apply Post Box 759 Bombay. (6535)

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Wanted canvassers who are canvassing orders outside Bombay to canvas for our toilet preparations on commission basis write to Box No. 6564, "Bombay Chronicle".

Immediately wanted for local College Lecturer in English. Must be at least Second Class M.A. preferably with teaching experience. Apply Box No. 991, "Bombay Chronicle".

Applications are invited for the posts of Office Secretary and Accountant for the Kasturba Gandhi National Memorial Fund from persons with office and administrative experience, knowledge of accountancy, secretarial practice. Hindustani essential. Salary according to qualifications. Apply stating qualifications and terms to Secretary, Scindia House, Ballard Estate, Fort, Bombay.

Required an experienced butler for Palace. Only those who have worked in a State or a first-class hotel need apply stating age, experience and pay acceptable with references to the Private Secretary, Palanpur (North Gujerat). (996)

Wanted a well qualified and experienced Dairy Farm Overseer in a Central India State. Pay according to qualifications. An experienced Head Mali with experience of fruit, vegetables and flower gardening. An experienced and well qualified Forest Officer to take charge of Estate Forests in Central India. Pay according to qualifications. Apply Box No. 6575, "Bombay Chronicle."

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PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTIFICATION BY THE COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, BOMBAY.

Under Section 23 of the Bombay City Police Act, IV of 1902

CRICKET TOURNAMENT

Regulation of traffic in the vicinity of the Brabourne Stadium between 10-0 a. m. and 6-30 p.m. from the 15th November, 1944 to the 23rd November 1944 (both days inclusive) and on 25th, 26th, 27th and 28th November, 1944.

Jamshedji Tata Road from its junction with Churchgate Street to its junction with Dinshaw Vachha Road will be closed to north-bound vehicular traffic.

Dinshaw Vachha Road from its junction with Jamshedji Tata Road to its junction with Marine Drive will be closed to east-bound vehicular traffic.

Marine Drive from its junction with Dinshaw Vachha Road to its junction with Churchgate Street will be closed to south-bound vehicular traffic.

Parking:—Vehicles will park on the following roads:—

1. Dinshaw Vachha Road,
2. Jamshedji Tata Road between Dinshaw Vachha Road and Churchgate Street,
3. Marine Drive,
4. "A" Road to the north of Churchgate Street,
5. "B" Road to the north of Churchgate Street.

Head Police Office,
Bombay, 10th November, 1944.

H. E. BUTLER,
Commissioner of Police.
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GRAND OPPORTUNITY.

MACHINERY ON SALE.

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The Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED FROM Saturday, the 25th Nov., 1944 to 4th December, 1944, both days inclusive.

The dividend warrants will be posted to the last registered address of the shareholders.

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For Sale—One tent with 15'x8' Dimensions See K. K. Hublikar, Shop No. 131, Chandra Terraces, Kandewadi, Girgaum, Bombay No. 4. 6568

PUBLIC NOTICES

UNIVERSITY OF BOMBAY

THE THAKKAR VASSONJI MADHAVJI LECTURES, 1944.

Dr. H. D. Sankalia, M.A., Ph.D., Professor of Proto-Indian and Ancient Indian History and Head of the Department of History, Deccan College Postgraduate and Research Institute, Poona, will deliver the Thakkar Vassonji Madhavji Lectures in the LECTURE THEATRE, UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS & SOCIOLOGY, Bombay-1, on the following days commencing at 6 p. m., on each day. The general title of the series of Lectures is:—

"Historical & Cultural Geography and Ethnography of Gujarat."

OR

"Persons and Places in Inscriptions of Gujarat."
(Circa 300 B.C.—1300 A.D.)

Dewan Bahadur K. M. Jhaveri, M.A., LL.B., will preside over the inaugural lecture on the 15th November and the Rev. H. Heras, S.J., will preside over the concluding lecture on the 22nd November, 1944.

DATE.		SUBJECT.
Wednesday, 15th November, 1944	—	"Nature and Sources of the subject."
Thursday, 16th November, 1944	—	"Historical Geography; Reconstruction of the Caulukya (Solanki) Empire."
Monday, 20th November, 1944	—	"Cultural Geography; Significance of Place-names."
Tuesday, 21st November, 1944	—	"Historical and Cultural Ethnography; Significance of Personal Names."
Wednesday, 22nd November, 1944	—	"Aryanisation in Gujarat; The Linguistic Nature of Place and Personal Names and Gujarat and Indian Culture."

The lectures are open to the public.

S. R. DONGERKERY,
University Registrar.

Bombay, 11th November, 1944. 987

NOTICE

Order Banning use of milk and milk products in non-scheduled Articles

THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY has amended its order in the Finance Department (Supply), No. 57 (G)-IV, dated the 5th June, 1944, banning the use, except under a license, of milk, tinned milk, cream, curds, skimmed milk, dried milk or milk powder in the preparation of any articles other than tea, coffee, curds, buttermilk, ghee and butter intended for service or distribution in a public place or for sale, in the City of Bombay and the Bombay Suburban District. The amending order has been published in the Bombay Government Gazette Extraordinary dated 13th November, 1944. The Order as amended now stands as follows:—

No. 57 (G)|IV-C in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (2) of rule 81 of the Defence of India Rules, the Government of Bombay is pleased to direct that except under and in accordance with the conditions of a license granted by the Director of Civil Supplies, Bombay, no person shall within the limits of the City of Bombay and the Bombay Suburban District:—

(a) use milk, condensed milk, tinned milk, skimmed milk, dried milk, milk powder, or any milk product (including cream, curds and mawa) or anything prepared or extracted from any of the said articles, in the preparation of any articles, other than the articles specified in the schedule hereto annexed for service or distribution in a public place or for sale; or

(b) distribute or serve in a public place or sell at any place any articles, other than the articles specified in the said schedule, in the preparation of which milk, condensed milk, tinned milk, skimmed milk, dried milk, milk powder or any milk product (including cream, curds and mawa) or anything prepared or extracted from any of the said articles has been used.

Provided that cream shall not be used or supplied for use in the preparation of tea or coffee intended to be served or distributed in a public place or to be sold at any place and that no tea or coffee in which cream has been used shall be so served or distributed or sold.

SCHEDULE.

(1) Tea, (2) Coffee, (3) Buttermilk, (4) Ghee, (5) Butter, (6) Curds.

A. D. GORWALA,
Secretary to Government, Bombay.
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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE DEPARTMENT

WANTED

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the following posts in the temporary establishment for Government Service in Kirkee.

		Rate of pay.
Supervisors (for Technical Office work)		
"A" Grade	..	Rs. 155-5-200
"C" Grade	..	Rs. 70-5-100
Senior Draughtsmen	..	Rs. 155-5-200
Draughtsmen	..	Rs. 105-5-150
Junior Draughtsmen	..	Rs. 70-5-100
Photographers		
"A" Grade	..	Rs. 155-5-200
Clerks Senior Grade		Rs. 80-7½-140-10-160
"A" Grade		Rs. 60-3-75

Plus overtime pay averaging 25% for extra hours worked and Dearness allowance in accordance with existing regulations

SUPERVISORS—QUALIFICATIONS:—Should be Matriculates or better and should have had a good general education, preference being given to Graduates in Science or Mathematics.

SENIOR DRAUGHTSMEN, DRAUGHTSMEN, JUNIOR DRAUGHTSMEN AND PHOTOGRAPHERS—QUALIFICATIONS:—Should have had considerable previous experience.

CLERKS—QUALIFICATIONS:—Matriculates with good handwriting. Preference will be given to those having previous experience and knowledge of Typewriting.

NOTES:—(1) Candidates must be prepared to come to Kirkee for an interview, if called, AT THEIR OWN EXPENSE, and when so called, no guarantee of employment is implied.

(2) No residential quarters can be provided to candidates selected for the posts and they will be required to make their own arrangements for accommodation

(3) Applications from personnel already in the employment of the Defence Services will not be considered.

Applications accompanied by copies of testimonials and character certificates should be submitted to the Chief Inspector of Ammunition, Kirkee. Candidates not selected will not be given a reply.

Applications from Muslims, Minority communities and Depressed Classes with adequate qualifications will be given special preference in selection for clerks posts. 941

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Four share certificates Nos. 19519/522 in respect of four shares of the MODEL MILLS Nagpur Ltd., in the name of Shamapant Gopal Rao (deceased) have been lost, mislaid or destroyed.

All claims in respect of these four shares should be notified within one month to the Registered Office of the Company, Ilaco House, Sir Phirozeshah Mehta Road, Bombay; otherwise duplicate share certificates will be issued to the heirs of the abovenamed deceased shareholder.

D. J. REGISTRAR,
Secretary.

Bombay, 15th November, 1944. (6560)

COUNCIL OF SCIENTIFIC & INDUSTRIAL RESEARCH

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the post of a Research Assistant with a good degree in any branch of textile technology and experience in dyeing, spinning and weaving of wool is the scale of Rs. 150-10-250 p. m. plus war allowance @ 10% of pay for work on artificial wool from groundnut and other seed cakes etc.

The post is in the laboratories of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, University Buildings, Delhi and is for the duration of the scheme.

Applications for the post with copies of testimonials should reach the Acting Director, Physical Laboratories, University Buildings, Delhi by the 25th November, 1944.

990 ACTING DIRECTOR.

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE

BOMBAY CATTLE-FEED RATIONING ORDER, 1944

The Government of Bombay has issued the Bombay Cattle-Feed Rationing Order, 1944. It extends to Bombay City and the Bombay Suburban District. Cotton seed and oil cakes will be rationed in the first instance from November 16, 1944.

The Order provides that from that date onward the rationed cattle feeds will not be sold except by authorised dealers and will not be purchased except on a ration document. The order prescribes the procedure for obtaining ration permits and for their registration, etc.

The Order and other notifications made thereunder have been published in the Bombay Government Gazette Extraordinary of November 11, 1944. Copies of the Order are available, on payment, from the Superintendent, Government Printing and Stationery, Charni Road Gardens, Bombay.

A. D. GORWALA,
Secretary to Government,
Bombay.
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NOTICE.

WANTED for large R.C.C. Construction work in Bihar qualified and experienced Civil Engineers and Overseers for active field work. Candidates should hold a degree in Civil Engineering of a recognised University or the C. E. Diploma of Thomason Civil Engineering College, Roorkee. Applications from candidates with first class qualifications but limited experience will also be considered. Permanent employment. Salary according to qualifications and experience. Apply with certificates and testimonials and stating salary expected to Box No. 818, "Bombay Chronicle."

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY.
Public Health Department
NOTICE.

APPLICATIONS ARE INVITED for the permanent post of Senior Sister at the Infectious Diseases Hospitals, at Arthur Road. Applicants must be fully qualified nurses, holding a Diploma from Bombay Nursing Council or other equivalent qualifications. They must be under 30 years of age, except in case of Municipal servants. Experience in Infectious Diseases Hospitals will be considered an additional qualification.

The pay of the post is Rs. 175-5-200 plus Rs. 18|- Dearness Allowance plus Rs. 15|- Uniform Allowance (which is subject to revision of 140-10-180 plus Rs. 13|- D. A. plus Rs. 15|- U. A. plus messing allowance as may be sanctioned) with free furnished quarters. The selected candidate will be appointed on one year's probation in the first instance and will be confirmed on approved service thereafter. She will be entitled to the benefits of the Municipal Leave and Provident Fund Regulations.

Applications stating age, nationality, qualifications, previous experience, accompanied with copies of testimonials and certificates of age and physical fitness should reach the undersigned not later than 4th DECEMBER, 1944.

Persons in Municipal Services are eligible to apply.

Canvassing directly or indirectly will disqualify the applicant.

B. C. DAS GUPTA,
Executive Health Officer
Public Health Department,
Municipal Offices, Fort,
Bombay, 13th November 1944.
(993)

NOTICE

Wanted an Instructor at the Government Power Weaving Instructional Institute, Sholapur, in the grade of Rs. 60-3-105. The candidate must have completed a recognised course of instruction in Dyeing and should have undergone a practical training about three years. Candidates knowing Kanarese with weaving qualifications and teaching experience will be given preference.

For other particulars and prescribed form of application which should reach him not later than 25th November, 1944 apply to the Director of Industries, Old Custom House Yard, Fort, Bombay.

Those who have applied previously need not apply again. (994)

LEGAL NOTICES

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the above are two of the well-known trade marks of our clients Tootal Broadhurst Lee Co., Ltd., of 56 Oxford Street, Manchester, England, and have been registered by them under the Indian Trade Marks Act V of 1940.

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Dated the 3rd November 1944.

CRAIGIE, BLUNT & CAROE,
Attorneys for Tootal Broadhurst Lee Co., Ltd.
(963)

PUBLIC NOTICES

BOMBAY MUNICIPALITY
K. E. M. HOSPITAL, BOMBAY.
NOTICE.

TENDERS for the supply of (1) Medicines, drugs and (2) Dietary articles.

Tenders are invited for the supply of:—

1. Medicines, drugs, medical appliances and surgical dressings etc.

and

2. Dietary articles to the K. E. M. Hospital and Seth G. S. Medical College, Parel, Bombay, for one year, commencing from 1st March, 1945, as detailed in the tender form.

Tenders should be addressed to the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay and delivered into the office of the Chief Accountant, Municipal Offices, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay, together with an earnest money deposit of Rs. 1,000|- separately for each tender. Tenders must be enclosed in sealed envelopes superscribed as "Tenders for drugs, medicines etc., for the K. E. M. Hospital, and Seth G. S. M. College" or "Tenders for the supply of Dietary articles to the K. E. M. Hospital and Seth G. S. Medical College" as the case may be.

Tenders must be brought duly sealed to the Municipal Office and delivered at the Chief Accountant's Office as directed above. Tenderers shall not be allowed to fill in or seal their tenders at the Chief Accountant's or any other Municipal Office.

Tenders for medicines should be submitted not later than 1 P. M. (B. T.) on Wednesday, the 29th November, 1944, and tenders for dietary articles should be submitted not later than 1 P. M. (B. T.) on Friday, the 8th December, '44.

Forms of contract, specifications etc., and any other information that may be required, will be supplied by the Dean's office, K. E. M. Hospital, Parel, Bombay, on personal application. Intending tenderers can obtain from the Dean's office a set of Medicine tender forms for Rs. 3|8|- together with 14 schedules at Annas 4 per set and the Diet tender and schedules of quantity on payment of Rs. 3|- for a set of both.

Attention of the tenderers is invited to the General and Special Directions published with the tender.

Samples, if any, should be submitted to the K. E. M. Hospital direct.

R. P. KOPPIKAR,
M.S., F.C.P.S. (Bom.),
DEAN.

Parel, Bombay.
8th November, 1944.
(986)

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION BOMBAY-SIND

Applications are invited by 18-12-1944 for the post of SECRETARY, SCHOOL LEAVING CERTIFICATE EXAMINATION BOARD. PAY—Rs. 170-500 for men and Rs. 170-350 for women. Scale likely to be increased later. AGE—Ordinarily between 25 and 35 years on 1-3-1945. Higher limit not applicable to Bombay Government servants. QUALIFICATIONS—Good University degree and preferably five years' administrative experience in educational matters. Application form supplied on receipt of large addressed envelope with 3½ annas postage stamps and on payment of Re. 1|- either in cash in the office of the Bombay Sind Public Service Commission, or by an UNCROSSED Indian Postal Order in favour of the Secretary Bombay Sind Public Service Commission who will supply details on request. (985)

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
I.S.D. INSPECTION CIRCLE, BOMBAY.
WANTED

APPLICATIONS are invited from candidates residing in Bombay and Suburbs for the following temporary posts:—

(a) Typists
(b) Routine Division Clerks in the scale of pay Rs. 50-60-2-80. The starting pay of the candidates with previous one year's typing or clerical experience will be fixed at Rs. 60|- in the grade of Rs. 60-2-80.

Minimum qualification required both for clerks and typists is Matriculation. This stipulation will be relaxed in case of typists only.

Typing speed must not be less than 35 words per minute.

Age limit: 18 to 25 years, but can be waived in deserving cases especially in the case of Muslims and members of scheduled castes.

The above posts carry the following allowances:

(i) Dearness Allowance (At present Rs. 18|- p. m.)

(ii) House Rent Allowance which will be equal to the excess of the monthly rent actually paid by the Government servant over 10% of monthly pay, but subject to a maximum of 10% of monthly pay.

A number of posts are reserved for Muslims and Scheduled castes.

Applications in candidates' own hand-writing should be submitted immediately to the Controller of Inspection, I.S.D. Inspection Circle, Feltham House, Graham Road, Ballard Estate, Bombay, stating age, nationality, educational qualification, etc. (995)

AUCTION SALES

AUCTION AT 12 NOON

AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED GOODS AT UNCLAIMED GOODS OFFICE, WADI BUNDER, G. I. P. RAILWAY.

Under instructions from G. I. P. Railway and in accordance with Sections 55 and 56 of Indian Railways Act of 1890 M.s. BENNETT & CO., will sell by Public Auction on Thursday the 30th November 1944, at 12 noon (N. S. T.) at the above place unclaimed goods including: Bags of G N. Seeds, Cotton Seed, Castor Seed, Hirda, Chillies, Moong, Husk, Planks, L. Cuttings, Slates, Locks, Catachu, Rapeseed, C. Drug Cotton, Bundles of Brooms, Coir Ropes, Bidi Leaves, Empty Tins, Cases of Tea, Shoes, Chappals, Cycle Parts, H. H. Effects, Soap, Tins of Rosewater, Ghee, Oil, Grease, Tallow, Basket of Bangles, Chimnies, E. I. Casks, Barrels, Lot of Condemned Tarpaulins, etc. etc.

Terms—Full amount of 50 per cent deposit and balance to be paid and delivery is to be taken on or before 9-12-44.

AUCTION SALE OF BUNGALOWS "LA MAISON" AND "WIGWAM" AT KHAR.

Under instructions from M|s B. Amin & Co., Attorneys for the Administrators Mr. Trever Urban Tydd and Miss Phyllis Amy Tydd, M|s. BENNETT & CO., will sell by public auction on Sunday the 10th December 1944 at 4-30 P. M. (N. S. T.) the undermentioned Bungalows on the premises of "La Maison" at Khar.

1. All that piece of land admeasuring about 1787 sq. yds. with bungalow known as "La Maison" standing thereon with outhouses, garages and structures but excluding flower pots and garden equipments, being plot No. 186 and 187 Suburban Scheme No. 7, Khar Model Suburb and bounded on the West by Promenade Road, on the North by 1st Road, on the East by 10th Road and on the South by plot No. 188.

2. All that piece of land admeasuring about 1039 sq. yds. with bungalow known as "Wigwam" and outhouses, garages and other structures but excluding flower pots and garden equipment, being plot No. 122 in Scheme No. 7 Khar Model Suburb and bounded on the West by 10th Road, on the East by plots Nos. 116 and 117, on the South by plot No. 123 and on the North by Plot No. 121.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to the abovenamed Solicitors or the undersigned.

Private offers are invited for the following Properties.

1. One capacious 1 storey Bungalow with about 1,300 sq. yds. land at Jogeshwari Bombay Suburbs.

2. Two Bungalows at Bhagoor Road, Deolali.

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For full particulars apply to the undersigned.

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